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GENERAL NEWS.

[BY TELEGRAPH TO THE OREGONIAN.]

A Murderer Hanged.

CLEVELAND Feb 13.—Charles McGill was hanged at noon to-day for killing Mary Kelly in December, 1877. The murder was most brutal. His last words were: "Don't make any mistake about that rope."

Won't Recognize.

BRUNSWICK Feb 13.—The committee of Brunswick diet on the regency law say to the diet that they consider the duke of Cumberland's refusal to recognize the German federal constitution renders his succession impossible.

The Plague Increasing.

ST PETERSBURG, Feb 12.—Since the thaw set in the number of plague stricken at Zaritsen has increased. Prof Jacobi, head of the medical commission sent into the infected district, has been attacked with the disease and was worse at last accounts.

Virginia's Debt.

RICHMOND, Va, Feb 13.—A committee has decided to submit to the general assembly without recommendation the renewed proposition of the American and English funding associations. It is, that the debt be refunded in bonds payable in forty years and bearing interest as follows: Three per cent for ten years, four per cent for twenty years and five per cent for ten years. The committee asked representatives of the funding associations to show the ability of their principal to discharge the obligations they propose to assume.

Flood in Connecticut.

NORWICH, Feb 13.—Ice in the Shetucket and Yantic rivers broke to-day. Both streams overflowed their banks, inundating the county. Tracks of the New London northern railroad were buried for a time under huge cakes of ice. The wharves and cellars of this city are flooded.

Flood in Pennsylvania.

PHILADELPHIA Feb 13.—The Schuylkill river rose rapidly last night and to-day work was suspended in the mills at Manayunk. The interior reports freshets and some alarm.

Severe and Proper.

NEW YORK, Feb 13.—Extensive cow stables at Blissville, L. I., where pluero pneumonia exists, are strictly quarantined by order of Gov Robinson. The milk from these and other distillery fed cows is destroyed by health officers wherever found. Some venders were fined to-day in the police courts.

A Bishop Dangerously Sick.

CHICAGO Feb. 12.—Catholic Bishop Foley is in a very critical condition on account of a heavy case of bronchial pneumonia. The chances are about even for his recovery.

Outrage by Indians.

DEADWOOD, Feb. 13.—Last Monday a band of Indians raided the camp of three hunters on Cheyenne river, 30 miles east of Rapid and captured one gun, one horse and their provisions and blankets. The hunters say that the Indians had a band of 100 horses and were moving northward.

WASHINGTON CITY.

Measures Recommended.

WASHINGTON, Feb 13.—The house committee on expenditures in the department of justice this morning instructed Chairman Durham to report a change in the revised statutes abolishing the appointment and pay of supervisors of elections and special deputy marshals. The committee also decided to report a bill regulating the mileage of marshals and for other purposes.

Four Per Cents.

Subscriptions to the four per cent loan, $1,680,600.

More Dishonesty Discovered.

The revenue agent at Raleigh North Carolina reports the capture of a number of distilleries and stills and a large quantity of low wines and whisky. In the fight two "moonshiners" were wounded.

Senate Order of Business.

WASHINGTON, Feb 13.—Republican members of the senate, in caucus this morning adopted a report presented by the committee appointed to arrange the order of business for the remainder of the session. It was agreed that the postoffice appropriation bill shall be taken up as soon as the pending measure in regard to Chinese immigration is disposed of, and that preference shall be given to other regular appropriation bills, including the river and harbor bill over all other business thereafter. The following measures are to be given consideration, not to interfere with appropriation bills, when read in the order named: Proposed constitutional amendment on the subject of war claims bill for the further distribution of the Geneva award; Windom's proposition authorizing inquiry and report to be made on the advisability of extending government aid for colonization of colored people and various measures concerning the District of Columbia for which one day is to be set apart. It was also agreed that from and after next Monday sessions of the senate shall begin at 11 A. M., and that a portion of each morning hour shall be devoted to "unobjected business" on the calendar under what is known as the Anthony rule.

Sherman's Estimates.

WASHINGTON Feb 13.—Sec'y Sherman, in a letter to the house to-day states his estimate of the expenditures of the next fiscal year to be $284,562,419. The estimated receipts are: From customs, $133,000,000; from internal revenue, $106,000,000; from miscellaneous sources $18,500,000; total, $257,500,000—leaving a deficiency of $27,062,419.

A DEADLY FLASH.

Reckless Work in a Tunnel near San Jose, and its Distressing Result—Several Men Fatally Hurt.

[SPECIAL DISPATCH TO THE OREGONIAN.]

SAN JOSE, Feb. 13.—A terrible accident took place at tunnel No. 3 through the Santa Cruz mountains on the line of the South Pacific Coast Railroad 4½ miles above Alma station at half past nine last night by which one white man, M. O. Hyland the foreman and 14 Chinamen were so severely burned that it is thought that eight or nine of the latter cannot survive. For several weeks owing to having struck petroleum gas oozing from fissures in the rock through which the tunnel is being run, great care has been taken to flash or burn this accumulation between the shots which beretofore had never accumulated to any great extent. This was done by approaching the inner end of the tunnel with a lighted taper on a long pole. The gas, as soon as the light touched it flashed off and all was clear for a time. The amount of gas increased so of late that the foreman, fearing danger, quit and a new foreman, Hyland who is among the injured was substituted several weeks ago. Last night the man selected approached as usual to touch off the accumulated gas, the others having retired some distance. It is thought that the blast just previous had opened up a larger fissure of gas than had been known and its ean of no usual flash as soon as the light touched it a terrific explosion followed. The report was heard for miles and a column of flame shot through the tunnel and from its mouth to the height of two hundred feet in the air. A ten ton engine [illegible] supplying the tunnel [illegible] which stood about fifty feet from the mouth of the tunnel, was completely [illegible] and the blackens in shop, [illegible] about seventy yards from the mouth of the tunnel was blown to pieces. A few moments after the explosion Hyland the foreman groped out and was soon after followed by the [illegible] of the Chinamen. [illegible] of them [illegible] burned about the head [illegible] each portion is as were not covered with cloth [illegible]. A hundred or more [illegible] the Chinese camp [illegible] were soon on the spot [illegible] work of getting out of the [illegible] was first [illegible] and men went in and carried others out, groping soon after them until they were found. It cannot be said how many were thrown, but they did not know much [illegible] from the cause. All were alive but burned to such a degree that those who live will be frightfully marked. Several have had their eyes burned out and all are unrecognizable. It is probable that a shaft will have to be sunk to ventilate the tunnel before any great amount of [illegible] is done.

CONGRESSIONAL.

Senate.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 13.

At [illegible] the vice president laid before the senate a communication [illegible] the house bill to restrict Chinese immigration.

Bayard remarked that he would not antagonize by renewing his motion to take up the tobacco tax bill but gave notice that he will ask for action upon it as soon as this bill is disposed of.

Sargent then took the floor and replied to various objections which had been heretofore urged against legislation such as is proposed by the pending bill. He cited as a precedent for the main provision of this bill the existing law which prohibits vessels from bringing to the United States more than one passenger for every [illegible] tons measurement. This law had been sustained by the federal courts in its application to foreign ships as well as to American vessels. After describing the habits, condition and influence of the Chinese in California, the unanimity of Pacific coast sentiment and the number and nature of efforts made by the people to secure relief, he closed with an earnest appeal to the senate for prompt and favorable action.

Grover then obtained the floor and read a prepared speech in advocacy of the bill.

Grover showed that the Burlingame treaty was a one sided affair. He contrasted Chinese customs and institutions with Caucasian civilization and claimed that the disastrous effects of Mongolian cheap labor on white men and women were already visible in some eastern cities and manufacturing villages, and that unless the incoming tide was checked on the Pacific coast it would increase in volume and threaten the whole country. He also argued that the Burlingame treaty violates the reserved rights of states.

Booth was the next speaker. He argued that the ultimate question involved in the Chinese problem which now confronts us is simply whether the conditions of American labor shall be brought to the Asiatic level. He showed that the enormous influx of Mongolians is at least among the possibilities of years, and insisted that we should not invite it; on the contrary lose no time in averting the conflict which would thus occur throughout the country as it is now witnessed on a smaller scale in California. His speech was a forcible and philosophical exposition of the dangers which result from the presence of a non assimilating element like the Chinese in our body politic.

Morgan of Alabama, followed in support of the bill. He spoke a half hour his main point being that our difficult and unfortunate experience with the negro and Indian should warn us against encouraging or inviting the presence of any other inferior race among us.

He was followed at 4:15 P. M. by Stanley Matthews who earnestly opposed the bill as being a proposition to break the solemn pledges of the treaty, without any sufficient justification for such violation of national faith. He admitted that congress has constitutional power to repeal a treaty by law but claimed that the only proper method under international usages and proprieties to modify or repeal a treaty is through diplomatic negotiations. Matthews intimated that negotiations are in progress with the Chinese embassy to obtain by mutual consent the objects of this bill.

Hamlin said this was true.

Morgan remarked that the president is quite willing that congress should apply the direct remedy.

Sargent added that the Chinese embassy have rejected all propositions for the desired modification of the treaty, and that he stated this upon authority given him as recently as yesterday.

Matthews resuming his remarks, argued that aside from the question of good faith there is no necessity for excluding Chinamen and ridiculing the idea that our people and our institutions have cause of fear from the Chinese.

At the conclusion of Matthews speech, Hamlin moved that the senate adjourn.

Sargent called for yeas and nays, and the vote resulted—yeas 29 nays 32 and the senate at 5:10 adjourned till tomorrow.

This is by no means a test vote on the bill as a number of known friends of the bill voted for adjournment solely on account of the lateness of the hour and a desire to go to dinner.

House.

Wilson from the committee on foreign affairs submitted a report in regard to the treaty with Mexico ordered printed and recommitted.

Wigginton from the committee on public lands reported a bill to determine the title to a tract of land known as the rancho Panoche Grande in California referred and committed.

Cobb of Indiana moved to take up for consideration the contested election case of Finley vs. Bisbee, from the third district of Florida.

Atkins of Tennessee antagonized that motion desiring to proceed with the appropriation bill. If the legislative bill was not passed this week he did not see how the appropriation committee could get the civil sundry bill ready in time to be passed. Motion to proceed with the election case was defeated—yeas 98, nays 109.

Previous to announcement Cobb changed his vote to the negative and then moved to reconsider.

Atkins moved to lay that motion on the table. The motion was defeated—yeas 110 nays 113. Just previous to announcement the vote stood yeas 119 nays 118 but Clymer, Sparks Hewitt and Durham members of the committee on appropriations who had voted aye changed their votes to the negative thus defeating the motion.

The question recurred on reconsidering the vote by which the house refused to take up the contested election case, agreed to—yeas 124 nays 111.

Dunnell moved that the house adjourn and that when the house adjourn it adjourn to meet on Saturday.

An agreement was finally arrived at postponing the election case until Wednesday next.

A letter was referred to the committee on ways and means from the secretary of the treasury stating that there will probably be a deficit in the revenues of the government the next fiscal year of $27,000,000, and asking authority to issue 4 per cent bonds to cover such deficiency.

The house soon afterwards went into committee on the legislative bill.

Blackburn was in the chair. After discussing 60 pages of the bill the committee rose.

The remainder of the session was devoted to memorial services for the late Julian Hartridge.

THE TELLER COMMITTEE.

WASHINGTON Feb 13.

The chairman of the Teller committee to-day appointed a sub committee to inquire into the following branch of a resolution of the senate, viz: Whether in the year 1878 money was raised by assessment or otherwise, upon federal office holders or employes for election purposes, and under what circumstances and what means, and if so what amount was so raised and how the same was expended and further whether such assessments were or not in violation of the law.

The committee then adjourned. Next meeting subject to call of the chairman.

Not a Puff, but Plain Truth.

[From the Vancouver Independent.]

The Portland *Standard* of Sunday says: "A complimentary notice of THE OREGONIAN by the papers of this state is as great a rara avis as a white blackbird. Strawberries may grow in the sea, and red herrings be picked up in the woods, but a handsome notice from a responsible source THE OREGONIAN will never get."

If the editor of the *Standard* did not have a personal quarrel on hand with the editor of THE OREGONIAN it would not speak thus for it does not tell facts as they exist. It is a well known fact among all the country papers on this coast that without THE OREGONIAN and its dispatches they would all be sent to the wall for news and the other Portland dailies would be in the same boat. We speak for nine out of ten of the country papers when we acknowledge the value to them of THE OREGONIAN as an exchange. The people speak for THE OREGONIAN in most localities as they do in this town where it circulates 75 copies daily and the *Standard* less than a dozen. [THE OREGONIAN sends 92 dailies and 61 weeklies to Vancouver every copy ordered by an actual subscriber and it circulates at every postoffice in Oregon and Washington in like proportion.—ED. OREGONIAN.] Don't take this as a puff—only a piece of plain truth susceptible of immediate proof.

Status of Tammany.

[From the New York World Dem.]

It is scarcely worth while for the Democrats in the senate at Washington to give themselves the [illegible] concern about what half a dozen Tammany men at Albany may think of the squabble between the Hayes and the Conkling factions of the Republican party in the state [illegible] which [illegible] Tammany one day to Conkling and the next to Hayes is so well [illegible] in New York to [illegible] any [illegible] Democratic [illegible] of the [illegible] party of the [illegible] publican [illegible]

Short Orders.

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EUROPEAN NEWS.

Address on the Situation by Northcote.

LONDON, Feb 13.—Northcote chancellor of the exchequer in the house this afternoon said that it was not desirable to exaggerate or depreciate unduly the severe blow in South Africa. There exists general admiration for the gallantry of the troops and universal sympathy for the sufferers. The cabinet has resolved to repair and supply the disaster. The first batch of reinforcements leave before Thursday next. He recommended abstaining of expression of views upon the disaster until further details are received. Papers in the case have been already presented and others will shortly follow. Then it will be possible to state the financial course to provide for expenses. "I am happily able to congratulate the house and country upon a more satisfactory state of affairs in other parts of the world. There is every reason for satisfaction with the progress of the Berlin treaty. The Russians have already begun to withdraw from Turkey and there is every reason to hope for a complete evacuation in due time. The chancellor praised the energy and skill displayed by Layard British minister at Constantinople in negotiations. The porte has shown earnestness in the arrangements now under discussion for Asiatic reforms and which it is hoped will prove adequate. In Cyprus England has taken over the crown lands paying the porte £5,000 annually besides the surplus stipulated in the Anglo Turkish convention, which is about £100,000 a year. Northcote in reply to Muro (Liberal) as to whether the reinforcements asked for by Lord Chelmsford were withheld drew attention to the blue book which set forth Lord Chelmsford's demands for infantry reinforcements were only applications and were complied with. There was no request for cavalry.

Forced by Necessity to go to Work.

LIVERPOOL, Feb 13.—Ship owners remain firm at closed docks, where the men are fed and housed. More applications for employment to day than could be accommodated.

The Defeat of Ex-officio Royalty.

PARIS, Feb 13.—The heirs of Napoleon III have been defeated in an action against the state for the recovery of the Chinese Museum and arms at Chateau Pierrefonds or their value, out of the civil list.

Evacuation of Bulgaria.

LONDON, Feb 13.—Russians in Bulgaria have been ordered to hold themselves in readiness to leave at the time appointed by the Berlin congress.

A Happy Change.

The president of the college of physicians has called a meeting to discuss precautions necessary against the plague. The *Times* says it may be hoped that the government will be able to make statements relative to affairs in Afghanistan and the east which will render it possible to dismiss these subjects from discussion for the present.

The French Ministry.

PARIS, Feb 13.—The cabinet is still resolved to oppose the impeachment of the Broglie ministry, but has removed the clause against it from the amnesty bill for reasons connected with party tactics.

The Bank of England.

LONDON, Feb 13.—Bullion in the Bank of England increased £530,000 during the past week. Proportion of the bank reserve to liability 45¾ per cent.

Grant in Bombay.

BOMBAY Feb 13.—Gen Grant and party arrived here to-day.

A Generous Offer.

CALCUTTA Feb 13.—The government has offered to supply a contingent fund for the Cape of Good Hope.

Steamers Chartered.

LONDON, Feb 13.—The admiralty announces that it has chartered fifteen steamers to carry troops and supplies to the Cape.

Extravagant Demand by Strikers.

LIVERPOOL Feb 13.—Dock laborers numbering over 10,000, held a meeting to day and decided that unless masters agreed to the old rates by 9 o'clock this afternoon they would demand an advance of day rate and of one penny per hour for over time.

Death of a Princess.

PARIS Feb 13.—Princess Caroline widow of Prince Lucien Murat is dead.

Russia and Roumania.

BERLIN Feb 13.—It is reported that Gen Todleben on Tuesday ordered four regiments to march toward Arabia Tabia. It is feared that unless the powers declare the subject one of European interest a collision is inevitable. Germany and Italy advise Roumania to evacuate Arabia Tabia. Other powers are disposed to concur in this advice with a view to the maintenance of European concert.

WEST INDIES.

Revolution in Hayti.

KINGSTON Jamaica Feb 12.—A revolution has broken out in Hayti. A negro disturbance of an alarming character occurred in the island of St. Vincent.

PACIFIC COAST NEWS.

CALIFORNIA.

Earthquake.

COLTON Cal Feb 13.—A sharp shock of earthquake was felt here at about 9 o'clock this morning.

A Measure of Convenience.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb 13.—The bill recently introduced in congress for the conversion of gold note banks and to regulate national banks was the result of action on the part of the gold note banks of this state. This act will enable them to become currency banks without going into liquidation as would otherwise be necessary. It will also enable them to increase their circulation slightly and to redeem their notes in either gold or currency.

Pinney's Case.

SAN FRANCISCO Feb 13.—In the Pinney case the jury went out this morning and have not yet returned. It is considered almost certain that they will return a verdict of not guilty.

The Yocum Case.

BAKERSFIELD Cal, Feb 13.—In the Yocum case a jury was empaneled at 4 P. M. out of 82, and the trial will commence to morrow.

A Victory for the Workingmen.

SAN LUIS OBISPO, Feb 13.—At the municipal election yesterday the Workingmen elected their full ticket over the Citizens ticket by an average majority of 45. Mayor Henderson; Council—Nichols Walker, Harris Knapp and Herrington; Marshal—Robbins; Assessor—Castro; Collector—Small wood; Police Judge—M Conaughy.

BRITISH COLUMBIA.

General Victoria Items—Severe Snow Storm—Destructive Fire—A Distressing Occurrence.

VICTORIA Feb 11.—The steamship *Dakota* sailed at noon yesterday for San Francisco.

The severest snow storm for some years commenced last night. The snow is now four inches on a level and drifting heavily.

[illegible] of Dr Edmund Wright died very [illegible] night.

[illegible]

Robert Ker [illegible] general of the province was this morning found dead in the snow near his residence two miles from town. He left his home at 8 o'clock last night to [illegible] and perished in the snow. He had been in failing health for some time.

ADVENTURES OF A PRINCE.

How a Man Fared Who Fell Foul of the Austrian Government.

Prince Carl John Nalnsloy, a [illegible] name of whose life appeared [illegible] some weeks ago is now doubtless at home and reinvested with his estates in Austria. He arrived in New York from this city in the latter part of last month. He was interviewed by a Herald reporter who says:

He [illegible] to be a man of about forty eight [illegible] ... He stands at about five feet ten inches with an ample head of black hair lightly streaked with gray. [illegible] ... He spoke English with a slight German accent but converses with a long and cultured acquaintance with the language. In his daily citing collection of books he had "John Evelyn's Diary," Macaulay's Essays, Burton's Anatomy of Melancholy, Voltaire's Chronique Universelle, Boswell's Life of Johnson, Thackeray's Complete Works, Lamb's Elia, Cowper's Poems, Emerson's Representative Men, Paley's Natural Theology and other works of general interest showing that his style of reading was not of the common order. There was nothing in his dress or manner suggestive of royal breeding, but the delicacy of his conversation, the care and avoidance of reference to himself, the willingness to yield a point in argument [illegible] feeling should be aroused, pointed to a phase of character that is supposed to be an attribute of royalty. "He is a gentleman," said Schaefer's bartender, "from the top of his head to the bottom." He never speaks of himself and he allows no means to inquire into his private affairs.

The Herald further says:

From the facts in the Prince's [illegible] obtain [illegible] information that he went [illegible] ... Marie Von Reitche [illegible] ... She herself was the daughter of a proud family that had large estates outside [illegible] Hamburg. She ran away to this country [illegible] a boarding school in Hamburg and [illegible] refuge in the family of Mr Schaefer in Bowery street. She is a lady of about twenty six years with blonde hair, blue eyes and figure of classic proportions. She speaks English, French and German fluently. Like her [illegible] band, and is numerous accomplishments [illegible] ... She went to California and with the eye of intuition saw in her foreordained [illegible] band the object of her choice. She met him at a Schutzenfest and impressed with his gentle manly manners fell straightway in love with him. They got married and both removed to Salem, in Oregon. Here their baby was born but the father was constantly thinking of the honors to which he was rightfully entitled and which his little boy, who was now become the object of his deepest affection should share in. He had heard through the newspapers of the kindly conservative disposition evinced by the Emperor of Austria toward his recalcitrant subjects, about how he generously pardoned many of those who had been foremost in assailing the integrity of his throne, and he resolved to return to Europe and seek the Kaiser's pardon in person. His wife implored him to allow her to accompany him and do, as they call it in Hungarian, *fau falen* (the knee fallen) before the Emperor—that is, the going before His Imperial Majesty and dropping silently in his presence, imploring forgiveness for her erring husband.

This he would not consent to. He left his wife and child behind him and proceeded straight to Europe himself, reached Vienna, sought an audience with the Emperor and told his simple story to his sovereign. The kindly Francis Joseph took pity on the bronzed and weary exile, bade him arise and told him his ancestral estates were restored and that he was a free citizen of the Austrian empire. Overjoyed by his reception and treatment by the emperor he hastened back to America and landed in New York November 18th. Then he proceeded to Oregon and announced the glad tidings to his loving and expectant wife and with but more ado packed up their traps and started east reaching here as has been mentioned January 14th.

When I arrived in New York he went first to Sweeny's Hotel though intending to go to Earle's. There he remained a week [illegible] unknown. After that he went to Schaefer's the wife of Schaefer being a relative of his wife whose name was Marie Von Reitche. Miss Von Reitche came over here about [illegible] years ago and was then at Gus Stat who knew her well asserts about twenty years of age. She came as she was [illegible] from an aristocratic family and was brought up in a place called Melle, in the kingdom of Hanover.

"I met them two of them," said Gus, "last summer when he was going to Europe and he wanted to go with him to make his [illegible] before the Emperor but he wouldn't allow it. The Prince is a Catholic and she is a Protestant. He is [illegible] ... He brought a young girl with him all the way from San Francisco who happened to be sick and helpless in the country and had no friends. He paid her passage, and [illegible] ... in Brooklyn. Only for his [illegible] might have [illegible] San Francisco [illegible] from home, and friends. Miss Marie Von Reitche lived with Schaefer's family for years as a sort of help. She was a good looking, industrious girl and everybody liked her. She showed us letters from Germany to prove that she was entitled to a large property at a specified time. Her father, who is dead, was a burgher of Hamburg something like an alderman in this city. Her mother is living. She is a pleasant and vivacious girl. The Prince made a good deal of money in California but lost it in the banks where he invested it. I think the Austrian government will have a mighty sight of money to pay him when he gets back."

LITERARY NOTES.

Mr W. D. Howells new story "The Lady of the Aroostook" will be completed in the March *Atlantic*.

The late Stephen H. Carpenter professor of logic and English literature in the University of Wisconsin at the time of his death, had just ready for the press a translation of "Beowulf" with notes.

A writer in the January number of the *American Catholic Quarterly Review* raises the old question "Was Shakspeare a Catholic?" and cites the play of "Henry VIII" in particular to illustrate his belief that he was.

According to the *Athenæum* Mr Edison has completed arrangements with Messrs Sampson Low & Co and Messrs Harper & Bros for the simultaneous publication in England and America of his new work on the electric light.

The library recently destroyed by fire at Birmingham, England contained the best Shakespeare collection in the world consisting of over 7,000 volumes. There was also a Cervantes library of great value some letters of Dr Johnson and many other rare things which never can be replaced.

Mary Wollstonecraft's letters to Imlay recently published in London have created a more than usual interest. They are edited by Mr Kegan Paul. The *Athenæum* wonders if there is any other instance on record where a husband on the death of his wife has coolly published her most sacred letters to another man giving the story of her love and his desertion.

The long heralded Yale Book which Henry Holt & Co have announced [illegible] ... tion of publishing in the spring is to be an elaborate [illegible] of about 1,000 quarto pages and will bring down to date the history of [illegible]

[illegible]

You Must Excuse Us, Tony.

[illegible] ... the [illegible] ... afternoon [illegible] breaking both arms above the wrist.

WATKINDS AND HIS DEFENCE DISSECTED.

An Examination of his Management of the Penitentiary—Testimony Adduced and the Report of the Committee Sustained.

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The DAILY OREGONIAN of Feb [illegible] ... a communication from W. H. Watkinds which [illegible] ... After a somewhat sickening [illegible] ... the statement of the committee that the books from Sept 1874 to the [illegible] of Watkinds' term, after diligent search could not be found. He then [illegible] the books were examined by a committee of the [illegible] ... That committee had nothing to do with his books from Sept 1874 to Sept 1876 and I am informed the members of the committee that they did not examine them or make any report in relation thereto. They were appointed to examine the books and accounts from Sept 1876 to Sept 1878 and they made no investigation except for the time indicated between those dates.

The following is an extract from the report of the committee's clerk which was adopted by the committee and made a part of the report:

For the time embracing the superintendency of W. H. Watkinds [illegible] the accounts to have been kept in such a manner as to create confusion; errors appear; accounts are not closed, making it almost impossible to arrive at any accurate statement of their condition. Not having been furnished with any report of his superintendency I am unable to show any difference should such exist. From Sept 1874 to Feb 1875 the expenditures were:

Per voucher account	$11,775.[illegible]
Rate of appropriation for same	[illegible]
Excess over appropriation	[illegible]

[illegible] ... with the other account I regret to say that the person keeping the books [illegible] is so totally at variance with [illegible] ... to be able to give a detailed statement of them. [illegible]

This is the [illegible] publication that committee [illegible] ... committee [illegible] publishes the following statement from B. F. Bonham:

B. F. H. Watkinds, Esq. DEAR SIR—At your request I this day called upon Wm P. Miller warden of the state prison for the purpose of procuring my, while [illegible] your penitentiary account book [illegible] marked [illegible] (ledger), and journal No 60, as shown by receipt to you from B. F. Burch superintendent were and had been in the custody of said warden. I was shown the two books above described by Mr. Miller and find that they embrace the business transactions with ex superintendent Watkinds on account of the penitentiary from Sept 1, 1874, until Feb 15 1877. Respectfully,

B. F. BONHAM.

This statement coming from a man who has held high positions and borne a fair reputation for honesty is unaccountable in view of the facts. The statement of Mr Miller first warden of the penitentiary Westacott and others hereto attached show that when Bonham called for the books at the penitentiary search was made for them by himself and others and that he went away without finding them—that Mr Miller had not seen them, up to that time. After Bonham left Westacott the commissary in discussing the matter of the missing books with Miller and Osborne stated there were some books at the commissary in the basement, which might be those desired by Bonham that he was directed to bring them up. He brought the ledger, and Mr. Miller finding it purported to contain accounts from 1874 to 1876, went below himself and found the day book: that the same search was made by the committee and Mr Miller for the books that was made by Bonham, and without success: that they were at the same place when the committee called for them as when called for by Bonham: that Mr Miller as soon as the books were found took them to Bonham's office in Salem and delivered them to him: that he stated that [illegible] Bonham and exonerated the committee from all blame.

Bonham's statement conveys the idea that when he called for the books they were handed to him, were found with no effort and in their proper place. Every man reading it would understand it and it was evidently made for that purpose.

Suppressio veri, suggestio falsi [illegible] ... a suppression of the truth is the maxim of a thousand years. He who suppresses the truth for the purpose of injuring another is equally guilty with him who tells a direct falsehood for a like purpose.

This statement was made with intent to conceal [illegible] ... the committee. The man who [illegible] a falsehood is worse than [illegible] ... either wilfully and for a bad purpose will only be [illegible] ... [illegible] of another [illegible] ... [illegible] Watkinds [illegible]

[illegible]

Watkinds states that his books will show that the cost of keeping convicts [illegible] ... during his [illegible] years. The report states that the cost of feeding the prisoners from Sept 1, 1874 to September 1876 was 30 cents per day each. No deduction was made or attempted to be made for earnings. The method by which he figures the cost of keeping is [illegible] above the earnings can be understood by reference to his penitentiary report for 1874 which lies before me.

In showing the earnings of the prisoners which he deducts from the cost of keeping them the following items occur:

To hauling 23 cords wood at $1 per cord	$ [illegible]
To 60 days for sawing wood for stove at $1.50	90 00
To 100 days working cooking at $1.50 ℔ day	150 00
To 40 days waiting at $1.50 per day	60 00
To 60 days work in laundry at $1.50	[illegible] 00
To [illegible] days lamp trimming at $1	[illegible] 50

(See messages and documents for 1874, page of superintendent's report.

It is with difficulty that prison labor can be leased at seven [illegible] per day but the ridiculous part of these charges is the fact that the work here charged for was done by convicts—washing, cooking and waiting for convicts guards and officers and the lamp trimming keeping the lamps at the penitentiary in order—for which the state of course received nothing. With items of this kind he [illegible] his expense account thousands of dollars in order to show that the penitentiary is costing the state nothing. Yet notwithstanding all this legerdemain in figures the secretary's and treasurer's report for 1876 and 1878 [illegible] ... an over ag[illegible] 00 per year were paid out of the treasury on Watkinds' vouchers to the support of the penitentiary while only $ [illegible] was paid in from earnings. A liberal estimate for the labor and material furnished for public building still leaves the cost to the state at least $10,000 per annum over and above all actual profits for the first four years of Watkinds' superintendency and this with less than an average of 130 prisoners.

The attention of the governor and the attorneys employed to prosecute the defaulting officials is called to a matter which the committee overlooked or did not reach. The code page 701 section [illegible] provides that the superintendent shall pay all moneys collected by him into the treasury within 15 days after the close of each fiscal quarter. Watkinds' reports for 1874 and 1876 show that he sold brick and other articles manufactured at the penitentiary to the amount of over $8,000, yet of that sum he only paid into the treasury $ [illegible]. He claims to have paid out this money for supplies and expenses, but if such was the case it was a violation of his official oath and of his duty as superintendent and is the gain and very dangerous in practice when honest men control and instructions when they find their way into office. He should be made to pay this sum into the treasury in justice to the state and as an example to others. I further append that these sums paid out by him were not deducted from the appropriations.

He denies [illegible] ... the whisky is that it was only forty two gallons instead of fifty two. The vouchers shows that fifty two gallons were paid for. [illegible] ... [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible] ... H. attempts to justify the [illegible] extravagant [illegible]

his relatives [illegible] ... [illegible] ... likely into the [illegible] ... tings for that [illegible] and the [illegible] ... did largely [illegible]

Osborne [illegible] ... [illegible] ... that Carl Watkinds [illegible] that there [illegible] ... [illegible] Osborne and [illegible] ... Moore's [illegible] ... about 20 [illegible] ... and documents of 1876 bound volume. It will be seen that by inviting honest competition the committee procured sand delivered at the [illegible] for [illegible] per load such as is used for making brick and mortar.

The trouble of crossing the slough of loading and unloading, would be [illegible] ... hauling to the capitol as to the penitentiary. The only difference would be the hauling of one mile further. But for this slight difference $1.17 more per load was paid by Watkinds than by the commissioners. This furnishes the strongest proof possible that Watkinds advertising for bids was a sham and a pretense. The pretext about having to buy the sand is of a piece with that of having to pay ferriage where there was no ferry and where the parties hauling [illegible] themselves. The statement that Collins paid the state $ [illegible] per load for the sand may possibly be true as he was allowed to use free of charge a large amount of clay thrown up by convicts the digging of which according to Osborne's statement would have cost several hundred dollars.

Miller says [illegible] two dollars per load for hauling sand to the penitentiary and he considered it worth the sum. Men seldom admit themselves overpaid for their services but the Moore deemed worth two dollars per load does not [illegible] that [illegible] would not be anxious to do it for much [illegible]. The [illegible] cent [illegible] delivering it at the capitol shows that others would have [illegible] the [illegible] ... [illegible] ... but they contracted [illegible] large [illegible] as were [illegible] the penitentiary at $1.25 per load. Such statements as are made by parties sitting easily [illegible] and [illegible] ... cheap [illegible] for small [illegible] ... [illegible] they would at half the rates on regular contracts.

Mr Harris pays $1 [illegible] sand [illegible] contract was let in November for immediate delivery when the days were short and the roads in bad condition. He also required the delivery of sand [illegible] the [illegible] ... [illegible].

This required more care in selecting and cleaning, and cost the capitol commissioners $1.31 a per load while they were paying only 55 cents for such as is used in making brick and mortar. This statement of Mr Harris proves the opposite of what Watkinds claims as the sand delivered at the penitentiary was [illegible] the summer when roads were good and the days were long as he and before the investigating committee, of 1876.

The statement of B. H. Watkinds is singularly evasive. He says he [illegible] "positively" refused to appear before the investigating committee. The report simply states that he refused to appear. The facts are that Mr Galloway left a summons with Mr Hamondon for whom D. M. Watkinds tends bar with a request that it be delivered to Watkinds. Mr Galloway called afterwards to see Watkinds who stated he had received the summons. He also promised to appear at an hour stated by Galloway but failed to do so.

I suppose he thinks that by inserting the word "positively" he thereby avoids stating an untruth. A like answer is his statement that he never paid W. H. Watkinds anything for these contracts. He does not say the superintendent was not interested in these contracts. If there was nothing wrong about the matter why did he not come before the committee and submit to a questioning that would have compelled him to state the whole truth or swear to a plain falsehood? Collins' statement is a denial of rumors to which the committee made no reference. The committee stated that the same prices were paid for wood where it was bought by the thousand cords as it cost in Salem by the single cord. This every citizen of Salem knows to be true. He says the contracts were let to the lowest bidders. Watkinds & Co were paid $1.[illegible] for wood. Did Watkinds advertise for bids and then bid himself? If his statement amount to anything to the lowest bidder is true, he could have got such a large contract in no other way.

Watkinds & Co were not in the wood business. Why were they buying wood and selling it to the state if there was no profit in the transaction? During the four years prior to September 1877 the committee find that $1 [illegible] 1[illegible] was paid for wood. Nearly $10,000 of this amount was paid to Bass. Men may fairly circumstances [illegible] ... No man in his senses will believe any such quantity of wood was used.

The statement of Bass is that of a confederate in whatever of fraudulency there is in the transaction and it is only in rare cases that men turn states evidence. He says [illegible] ... advertisements for bids were among other [illegible] ... If they were they would be in evidence [illegible] ... such a [illegible] ... [illegible] ... the contract was [illegible] ... [illegible] therewith.

How is the report [illegible] ... paid Meyer & Son of Salem [illegible] ... the amount bought of Meyer & Son [illegible] ... He says $1 [illegible] ... was the amount paid Meyer & Son during the whole time he was superintendent and cites Moore's statement as proof. Moore's does not give the amount purchased of Meyer & Son nor can [illegible] ... either directly or indirectly.

The committee states the amount of expenditures from Meyer & Son up to Sept 1, 1876. Moore's states that he has examined the bills of Meyer & Son and Meyer & Co from September 1874 to May 1878. This includes nearly six years. The committee's report includes only four.

He does not state the amount of those bills but simply says they include [illegible] ... amounting to $ [illegible] which cannot be classed as groceries [illegible] large amount for coal oil and other articles.

Watkinds kept separate account with grocers and dry goods and clothing and miscellaneous articles. The entire amount purchased of Meyer & Son and Meyer & Co including the time mentioned by Moore far exceeds the sum stated in the committee's report. But it did not suit Watkinds to have Moore's state the amount as he would probably have stated it truly. The same remark made as to Bass will apply to the statement of Meyer. Men rarely plead guilty. His statement about not making the contract again at the same price can only excite the ridicule of every merchant in the state when they see the specimen copies of the bills accompanying the report. A comparison of Meyer's grocery bills with those of the present superintendent shows that with few exceptions Meyer was paid nearly double what supplies for the penitentiary now cost.

The style in which he answers the report in relation to butter is peculiarly Watkindsish. The report gives two items of butter simply because of the unusual quantity bought in a single lot. These two items amount to 632 pounds. He construes this into a statement that this is all the butter purchased during his six years term. The dates of the purchases mentioned by the committee are September 1876 and November 1877. If he turned over any of this butter to Burch in February 1878 it must have been an extremely highly flavored article. He ignores the statement in the report which immediately follows that in one bill of Meyer & Son are found numerous charges of butter amounting to over 1,000 pounds in all. But this style of refutation is in keeping with his entire so called defense.

A very cursory examination of his vouchers discloses the fact that from 300 to 1,500 pounds of butter were purchased quarterly making more than a thousand than he states hundreds.

He next assails the statement of the committee that for the four years prior to September 1876 his bills for drugs and medicines amounted to $3 [illegible] and again cites Moore's statement to show that his drug bills for his entire term of six and a half years only amounted to $ [illegible]. Moore's statement is rather artfully drawn and was evidently framed by Watkinds. He says the bills on file include various bills of Wm Herbert & Co and other parties named. The bills mentioned by Moore's amount to the sum of $ [illegible] but he carefully avoids saying these are all the vouchers for drugs and medicines. The shallow impudence of Watkinds is well illustrated by reference to his reports for 1874 and 1876. [illegible] ... of expenditures [illegible] ...

[illegible]

[illegible] ... could have [illegible] ... reported paid [illegible] drugs and medicines.

The committee may have been at fault in not [illegible]

[illegible] ... a true report and books as true and [illegible] ... the same [illegible] ... returned a verdict of [illegible] ... guilty. The [illegible] ... [illegible] ... they could not believe him in this [illegible]

But if Watkinds books are false and his report false it is equally probable that [illegible] vouchers are false [illegible] ... as the other in case the [illegible] ... the book.

Treasury [illegible] superintendent Burch [illegible] ... the latter's report states that [illegible] ... Watkinds [illegible] ... $20 in cal [illegible] ... were made [illegible] ... books first rate [illegible] ... the exception of [illegible] ... gallons of whisky [illegible] ... amounts are paid for that article.

The following items are found in the vouchers for the quarter ending May 1, 1874:

March [illegible] 1874	[illegible] gall Bourbon whisky of J W Souther	$ [illegible]
March [illegible]	[illegible] gall Bourbon whisky of J W Souther	[illegible]
March 21 1874	1 barrel whisky [illegible] galls at [illegible]	[illegible]
	[illegible] of Eugen Stil Co	[illegible]
April [illegible] 1874	galls of old Souther	[illegible]
April 1874	1 demijohn	[illegible]
April [illegible] 1874	freight and drayage on whisky	[illegible]

Twenty four and a half gallons in a month are trifling amounts when such quantities are used but an extraordinary amount with most people.

In view of the shoddy character of his defense it is not strange that he attempted to bolster it up by an attack on the committee and all connected with the investigation. But with sensible people that will only weaken a defense that in the first place had no standing.

He says Thompson sought to kill him. If Thompson deemed himself wronged, it was foolish to seek revenge in that way. It would be a mercy to kill Watkinds for like a maddened serpent that stings itself to death it is only a question of time when his impotent malice will torture him out of existence.

WILLIAM GALLOWAY.

State of Oregon, County of Marion—ss.

I, W. P. Miller being first duly sworn say: That I am warden of the Oregon state penitentiary and have held that position since November 1, 1878. On or about the 10th of December last Hon Wm Galloway chairman of the investigating committee came to my office at the penitentiary and asked for the books kept during the superintendency of W. H. Watkinds. He examined all the books I could find or that I had any knowledge of but were unable to find the journal and ledger containing accounts from Sept 1, 1874 to the close of Watkinds term being ledger marked No 59 and journal marked No 60. I inquired of Mr Osborne the assistant warden of Mr Brunk the turnkey and of Mr Westacott the commissary if they knew anything of these books or of any others than those in the warden's office which we had examined. They each answered they did not. About the 11th day of January last Judge Bonham called at the penitentiary and inquired for these books. I showed him all the books I knew anything of, but we failed to find them. Shortly after, Judge Bonham left Mr Osborn and myself were talking about the books. Mr Osborne stated he was satisfied they were not in the penitentiary and that Watkinds had taken them away. Mr Westacott came in during this conversation and stated that there were some books in the commissary which is situated in the basement of the penitentiary building. I told him to bring them up. He brought up the ledger, and finding it purported to be the ledger inquired for by Bonham I went down myself and found the journal. These I immediately took to Judge Bonham's office and gave them to him. Mr Bonham asked me for a statement. I told him I was ready to give it. I then stated to him the foregoing facts and told him the committee were not to blame for not finding the books. Mr Westacott stated that he found the books some time in the early part of December in a drawer of a desk which had been removed to the commissary from the room formerly occupied by the superintendent. It never occurred to me to look in the commissary for these books as the warden's room is the proper place for them. I have no knowledge or information as to how they came in the desk where they were found. I further state it was no fault of the committee that they were not found.

W. P. MILLER.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this the 10th day of February 1879. FRANK E. HODGKIN, Notary Public for Oregon.

State of Oregon, County of Marion—ss.

I, W. G. Hill being first duly sworn say: That I was turnkey at the time Mr. Bonham called for the books at the penitentiary and was present when he and Mr Miller searched for the books mentioned in Mr Miller's affidavit and that Mr Miller's statement of what occurred when Bonham was there is true as set forth in Mr Miller's affidavit.

WM G HILL.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this the 11th day of February 1879. FRANK E. HODGKIN, Notary Public for Oregon.

W. S. WESTACOTT

Being first duly sworn testified as follows:

Question—State your name age and residence. Answer—W. S. Westacott, age 25 years, residence Salem.

Q. What is your occupation at present? A. Commissary to the Oregon penitentiary.

Q. How long have you been in that position? A. For the past six months. I was commissary once before.

Q. Were you present when Mr. Galloway chairman of the investigating committee inquired of Mr Miller the warden for the books kept during the term of W. H. Watkinds as superintendent? A. I can't be positive whether I was or not.

Q. Where did you find the books kept by Watkinds from Sept 1874 to the close of his term being books numbered 59 and 60? (Here witness was shown books of account of the transactions at the penitentiary from Sept 1, 1874 to Feb 15, 1877.) A. These are not the books Watkinds was keeping when he went out of office. I don't think they are. They are the books I found in the desk down in the commissary department.

Q. When did you find them there? A. About the 1st of December I think. The desk formerly stood in the superintendent's room. It was moved down to the commissary about the 1st of December. A day or two after that Mr Miller gave me the key to the desk, and when I opened it I found these books.

Q. Do you know how they came there? A. I suppose they were placed there by Mr Burch.

Q. Why do you think they are not the books Watkinds was keeping when he went out of office? A. Because they are not in the same handwriting. I don't think they are.

Q. When did you inform Mr Miller the warden that these books were in the desk in the commissary? A. Last Friday the 24th of February Judge Bonham and Judge Shaw were out here that day. After they left I heard Mr Miller and Mr Osborne talking about Bonham wanting some of Watkinds books that they could not find. It struck me that the books I had noticed in the commissary desk might be the ones. They spoke of wanting the book commencing in 1874. I had noticed the date on them and so informed Mr Miller at that time. He directed me to bring them up. He took them and said he would take them to Judge Bonham.

Q. Where are the books of the penitentiary kept? A. They are kept in the warden's office.

Q. Do you know where Watkinds' original books of account kept by him from Sept 1874 to Feb 1877 are? A. I don't know.

Q. Did Mr Bonham see these books while he was here? A. No sir; he never saw them here. I delivered them to Mr Miller after Bonham left.

Q. Did you ever tell [illegible] any one that you had these books in the commissary until after Mr Bonham left? A. I think not, not to the best of my knowledge. The desk I found these books in had four drawers in it. Mr. Miller gave me two or three keys before I found the one that unlocked the drawer that contained these books.

W. S. WESTACOTT.

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THE CIPHER COPARCENERS.

Most of the witnesses before the Potter committee on the cipher investigation have done their best to tell as little as possible Large portions of the testimony bear striking resemblance to much of the testimony we have had before the committee engaged in the investigation of our state affairs only the equivocation in one case is more ingenious than in the other But the examination of Mr Tilden s confidential managers Messrs Marble Pelton and Weed confirms in all essential particulars the revelations made last October by the publication of the cipher dispatches Marble s resources of prevarication seem to have been greater than those possessed by his associates he had a trick of circumlocution and evasion which enabled him to baffle interrogation and avoid direct answers, and so he got through without telling very much of what he knew and what he did Pelton virtually confessed everything by his unwillingness to answer and Weed openly acknowledged the scheme to buy the returning board of South Carolina Weed was the principal agent, though Cooper was let into the plan and it was Cooper through whom Weed was to get the money from Pelton It was admitted by Weed that the copies of the dispatches as published and interpreted by the New York *Tribune* were substantially correct He testified very freely about it and frankly acknowledged his part in the conspiracy He admitted that he had made an arrangement to secure the returning board for $80 000 and telegraphed in cipher for the money,—one parcel of $65 000 one of $10 000 and one of $5 000 all to be $500 or $1,000 bills He directed that the money be sent to Baltimore and went there from Columbia to get it When he reached that city he met Pelton, who told him he expected to get the money from Edward Cooper, (now mayor of New York.) But Cooper had telegraphed that he could not raise the money, and there was a telegram from Tilden of similar character Weed believed Pelton could raise the money and it was at Pelton s suggestion that he had gone to South Carolina At Columbia he was introduced to a man named Hardy Solomon a large grocer there and a man of great influence, through whom the returning board was reached Solomon went on with Weed to Baltimore and subsequently to New York and finding that the money could not be had, he telegraphed, as Weed supposes to that effect, and the returning board at once decided the other way Weed says with great frankness, "The proposition to buy out the returning board was submitted to Mr Havemeyer, and at first I was led to believe the money would be sent to me It fell through however" But Weed thinks Tilden knew nothing of the negotiations until the demand came for the money. Pelton was the only person with whom Weed had consulted before starting for South Carolina Tilden," he says, "brought me to order in very forcible terms for having attempted to make a trade with the returning board, and repeated a positive abhorrence of any such scheme" It is added that Tilden also reprimanded Pelton, but we are left to infer that his wrath was not violent nor his displeasure great, because the witness tells us that Pelton notwithstanding kept up negotiations for Florida, and Tilden still retained him at his house as his secretary and adviser Cooper, Marble, and all the other "coparceners join Weed in emphasizing the statement that Tilden disapproved the whole business It seems certain, however, that the money demanded for South Carolina was not sent because the sum was deemed too large, and for no other reason, since a short time after the sum of $8,000 was sent to Oregon on a much less promising prospect Neither Weed nor Pelton had the slightest doubt that the $80 000 for the South Carolina returning board would be forthcoming They were in closest confidential relations with Mr Tilden and his advisers, and might be presumed to know that a negotiation of this kind would not have been so very displeasing in itself But nobody was prepared to bear a demand for so great a sum of money When, however, it was heard that Oregon could be had for less, the money was transmitted. It is no violent supposition that those witnesses, before going before the Potter committee, had consulted freely and agreed on a line of testimony which would maintain the ignorance and innocence of Mr Tilden and convey the impression that they were acting wholly on their own responsibility. But the idea of getting so great a sum as $80,000 out of the Democratic executive committee is a ludicrous absurdity and Weed, Pelton and the rest never could have entertained it

MR GALLOWAY'S REJOINDER

The reply of Mr. Galloway to the "address of Mr Watkinds is a fair specimen of what such a paper should be. It is in good temper free from personalities, and sticks throughout to the subject in hand Candor obliges us to say that it well sustains the report of the committee, and shakes sadly in many places the foundations of Mr Watkinds 'defence In fact it is useless to deny that on the points treated by Mr Galloway the case is fairly made out We need not review the whole article. It is in itself quite as compact as such an article could well be Of Mr Watkinds' system of bookkeeping under which, by charging the state at a high rate with the labor which the prisoners performed in cooking, sawing wood and doing the chores for themselves, the prison was almost made to pay—on paper—we have heretofore had something to say, and need only add that Mr Galloway in this review presents it in a light which makes it appear sufficiently ridiculous The examination of the sand and wood business is quite thorough enough to show that economy could not have been sufficiently studied therein and the same may be said in regard to the purchase of groceries and other supplies In short this explanation supplies information which has long been wanted for comprehension of certain important matters and it cannot be answered by any kind of skirmishing however lively on subjects that have no connection with it

We have never seen reason to accuse Mr Watkinds of using his position as superintendent corruptly for his own gain But that the prison was conducted with strict economy under his superintendency no one can suppose It may have been the fault of the system of politics of which he was a part and which controlled him rather than of himself Under such a system it is necessary to do much for friends of the party Importunity is excessive In his address he admitted that he was subjected to this species of annoyance and embarrassment Under such a system work must be given out supplies purchased and patronage employed in ways to help the party It is a system which supports party organization and carries on party work for the benefit of party men at the public expense Every branch and department of the state government was organized to further the political interests of Gov Grover whose whole term in the executive office was devoted to the one object of securing a seat in the senate of the United States An administration conducted on such a system and with such an object could not possibly adhere to business principles When it squandered the land fund and plundered the school fund and wasted every other fund what wonder that it forced the state s prison to some extent into the same system of extravagance? Those who deal with such an administration are allowed to make money in order that they may contribute to the support of the party others again learn to make demands for patronage which must be given to conciliate them and the whole system proceeds on a principle very similar to that on which a conqueror makes war support itself Political schemes are carried out at the expense of the taxpayers and the managers of the system secure their own advancement by saddling the cost upon the state Of such a system the Grover administration furnishes as complete an example as was ever seen Few will contest with it for the bad eminence We place it rather to the credit of Mr Watkinds that under such circumstances he appears to have been more devoted to taking care of the party than of himself

IMPERTINENCE PROPERLY ANSWERED

The *Standard* says "So long as Dave Thompson has a monetary claim upon THE OREGONIAN that paper must approve the work of his investigating committee and defend its findings in every particular Waiving the boorishness and impertinence of this remark we answer that Mr Thompson has no monetary claim or any claim whatever upon THE OREGONIAN that he is not owner of a dollar of stock or other interest in THE OREGONIAN and not one of the proprietors or stockholders of THE OREGONIAN is indebted to him a dollar for any purpose No person or association of persons, no corporation no political party or other party has any monetary claim or other claim upon THE OREGONIAN It is a thoroughly independent newspaper, is under no pecuniary or other obligations to anybody and in its relations with the public is guided solely by what it deems the public interest It has no private or personal interests to serve and no partisan favors to ask it doesn t depend for its existence on contributions, or on the rag tag and bob-tail of politics and intends to present and discuss all questions without regard to individual partisan or other influences As for the findings of the investigating committee it is the only newspaper in the state that has published in full the result of the investigation, as well as the statements of Grover Watkinds and others in reply and it is not its fault that it is bound in truth to say that in no essential particular have the findings of the committee yet been met or disproved Finally, THE OREGONIAN will say that it is entirely competent to take care of its own financial and other affairs, and that envious so called newspapers which subsist by a system which is a mixture of extortion, prostitution and beggary,—forcing money out of political committees at critical times, or levying "loans" upon persons who are in business which depends on partisan favors, and which thus become bound to defend every act of partisan or official rascality in which their patrons are involved, would do well to devote their attention to "monetary claims" in which they are much more concerned than they can possibly be in THE OREGONIAN'S business And further, it may be well to remind them again that no impertinence of this kind on their part is any sort of answer to the findings of the committee of investigation It don't restore to the school fund the money that went into Grover's pocket nor replace in the treasury the ten thousand dollars out of which the state was swindled by the expert methods of the individual who took pay from the state to abet frauds upon its treasury

VIGOROUS PIG STICKING

It is said that when the bill against the socialists passed the German parliament Bismarck rubbed his hands and with a chuckle remarked, Now for the pig sticking" A letter to the London *Times* reviews the results of the 'pig sticking' for the first two months, and draws from the record conclusive proof of the vigor with which the chancellor has laid the iron hand upon his enemies During this period there were 375 injunctions applied to 171 clubs and societies, 41 newspapers, and 157 non periodical publications The greatest slaughter was in Saxony, as the headquarters of socialists are at Leipsic Many of the suppressed clubs were trades unions and several of the publications were their organs Not a few large printing houses in Berlin and other cities were forbidden to issue any further publications Press prosecutions were briskly instituted and of the suppressed Berlin *Freie Presse* alone seven of its contributors went to prison Many foreign newspapers of socialistic tendencies were among those which were forbidden to enter Germany, and a large number of books by German, French and other authors were destroyed The pig-sticking has been very thorough Yet the people submit to it In this country such a policy would create a revolution in twenty hours Societies and publications which would be suppressed in Germany are harmless here in deed in one point of view they are really useful, since they afford a vent for turbulence which does less harm in spreading itself than it would if an effort were made to bottle it up By allowing it to effervesce we find it seldom hurts anybody and certainly does not weaken the authority of government

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In Cincinnati there are 3 248 places where liquors are sold at retail. The drinking houses, if ranged together would extend six miles Of the voting population one eighth are directly engaged in the liquor business Putting the whole population of the city at 300 000 the expenditure for beer alone averages $24 20 to each person and for other liquors it is one third as much more Of course beer is king in politics in Cincinnati Probably more dipsodists dwell there than in any other place of equal size on the continent. There is a chance for enormous speculation in cinchona rubra at Cincinnati

Delegate Jacobs of Washington territory a few days ago introduced a bill granting extension of time for completion of the Northern Pacific railroad Mr Jacobs is too late [illegible] was the time to work [illegible] half But then when there was a chance he stood with Senator Mitchell of [illegible] in opposition to all practicable methods [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] the defeat of all reasonable efforts [illegible] [illegible] will now just as this concern is about to expire is very cheap artifice and transparent imposture

The latter investigation of the cipher dispatches is expected to furnish what is information is necessary to remove all barriers to the availability of Mr Tilden as a candidate in 1880 Observers of political movements at the east no longer entertain a doubt that he is laying his wires to capture the nomination again as he did in 1876

Mrs Charles Knight of Umbria had the misfortune to scald herself on Sunday week While preparing dinner a kettle full of boiling water upset and fell on her feet

ERNEST RENAN

ONE OF THE WORLD'S CELEBRITIES AT HIS HOME—HOW HE LOOKS AND WORKS

It is odd to think of half a world ruled from a dingy room in Downing street the famous dark cabinet trick is really nothing in wonder and mystery to that. It is at least as impressive to think of a whole world of mind stirred at will by a word from a quiet scholar s retreat in the heart of the Faubourg St. Germain And it is certainly not too much to say that this little room on a second floor in the Rue St Guillaume where Ernest Renan works is a citadel that watches the Vatican and that the little man who tenants it is the most formidable antipope of our time

Few men have been more talked about and less understood. The *Vie de Jésus* was the first announcement of him to the universal world—*a* [illegible] No other book of our time has had such an effect [illegible] Strauss refined him of his grossness of mere critical controversy [illegible] at last reinstated a man and the very noblest where he had left nothing but a myth Still the world knew a good deal more of the benefaction than of the benefactor He was a prodigiously learned Frenchman who had Hebrew Arabic Syriac at his fingers end and who had traveled in the Holy Land on scientific mission from Napoleon III —that was about the sum of common knowledge In clerical circles they went a little further He was as good as an apostate that is to say as bad He had been brought up by the priests in Brittany had been sent up to Paris to follow the course of high theology at St Sulpice with the hope on the side of his professors and the intention on his of an ecclesiastical career

But he had then gone wrong on the capital question of the faith and had used all the learning they had given him to fortify his error Only a few knew him well enough to be able to tell all the truth and they were necessarily silent because they were of his own family As a matter of fact he is an intense idealist

He is a Briton, and therefore the most Celtic of the Celts He has ecstasies intense emotions and having no faith to fit them to he has found it impossible to take his mis fortune like a true born child of the time He thinks like a man feels like a woman acts like an infant said one who knew him well and his life has in consequence been a perpetual conflict between his sensibilities intellectual and emotional and the circumstances amid which he was placed

Yet no one meeting Ernest Renan at home would suspect him of these gloomy views

HE LIVES QUIETLY

But for men of his pursuit quietness is one of the elements of happiness He occupies part of a grand old town mansion built in Richelieu time and now tenanted by the prince of Monaco The fine roomy building in the Rue St Guillaume is a capital model of the ancient French dwelling house of the first class It must have been as quiet as a convent before the new Boulevard St Germain drove straight through its garden and brought the roar of traffic to some of its most secluded rooms One accidental provision remedies this inconvenience in so far as Renan is concerned the books deaden the noise and thanks to them it is still as quiet in the *[illegible]* as in the British Museum His *appartement* is armor plated with these slabs of learning and on the most approved model—with the thinnest layers toward the extremities the solidest in the middle This is but a roundabout way of saying that there are books in the very ante room, but chiefly of the lighter sort

Monsieur's part in the accumulation is confined principally to a collection of the *Revue des Deux Mondes* that best encyclopædia of the political and intellectual history of our time We catch glimpse of more warehousing of the same kind as we cross the little dining room on our way to the study

But once in that *sanctum* all these things cease to interest for a time, as we found ourselves in the presence of the master of the house His history is not in his looks He is round in person, almost jovial in bearing and being

A PERFECTLY POLITE FRENCHMAN

As well as a philosophic seer he is so full of his guest to have any thought of exhibiting himself He is studiously simple in manner, and at first sight the only sign that you have a man of mark before you is the red ribbon of the Legion of Honor in his button hole if that be any sign of the kind nowadays The broad and lofty forehead does not strike you till afterwards, the outward evidences of intellect are obscured for a moment by the effect of the polished *bonhomie* of address You have still not exactly a man of the world before you, but one who speaks with something of the suavity of a courtly priest Half of this is due to his Breton race half to his almost clerical training It gives the clue to a peculiarity of his style he is

AN ICONOCLAST

Who strikes with a muffled hammer This is no disparagement of his force all the world knows to how much purpose he can bring the implement down We may find proof of that in his past works or in the new one *Les Origines du Christianisme* now in course of publication It is the great task of his life and there are some signs that he means to make it the final one Five volumes are out two more will complete it and the notes for these are in such order that the manuscript might be finished by another hand This is in some sort his literary testament and he regards the writing of it as his supreme duty

HE LIVES FOR THE LABOR

He orders his house by and for it—at least all that is within his his own domain The armor plating of learning is of course thicker in the study than in any other part of the premises Over these by the fire and just behind the writing table are shelves for the books in daily use The secret of the origin of Christianity is somewhere there amid these hundreds of tomes in all the tongues, as hard to find, though by any but this first of experts as the needle in the bottle of hay On the other side of the fire and lining the rest of the room, are the works that have a remoter connection with the great subject Here Hebrew and Oriental literature generally there the German shelves, the English shelves, and beyond them the French The room was a bedchamber before its present tenant made it a study but there is a certain involuntary connection of ideas in the change These Syriac manuscripts these quartos of Teutonic apologetics with many a Hebrew page would invite to immediate repose all but the few who read them with the insight of genius The alcove is stuffed full of literature the little dressing room the same it is a headache to think of all that Renan must have read

Of Making Books.

[From the Boston Advertiser]

In Great Britain last year no fewer than 5 314 books were published of which 3 730 were entirely new works and 1 584 new editions of old ones An average of nearly 17 novels or other works of fiction were published every week making a total of 870 for the year This class of books is the largest in the list the next is the theological class which numbers 739 But new editions of novels were almost as numerous as the novels themselves while of works on theological subjects hardly a third went beyond the first It is a curious and impressive fact that fiction should thus get the better of theology The time was very recent when theology led in the race In the large catalogue of the British museum the vast majority of titles are those of books that treat of religion and Allibone in his Dictionary of Authors gives a list of 12 820 English writers of divinity while next in number are writers of poetry who make a total of only 5 134 There are no fewer than eight other classes before fiction is reached with its list of only [illegible]

Gas Stocks and Electricity

[New York Sun]

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Portland Feb 11 1879

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4 In all games during the Tournament the Crotch shall be barred

No player shall be allowed to withdraw from said games until the game is out by so doing he forfeits the game

6 The referee in said games is hereby authorized to have expelled from the hall at the request of either player any person who shall be guilty of disorderly conduct or who shall by action or utterances endeavor to disconcert or assist a player

7 There shall be two separate prizes viz The first prize to be the Champion Cue of the North west to be awarded to the winner and the second a purse to be given to the player making the best average

8 The winner of the Champion Cue shall be entitled to hold it for one year but after that time any person eligible to play in this Tournament (viz having resided in the Northwest Six Months prior to the expiration of said year) can have the right to challenge the holder of said Cue accompanied by a wager of $100 to play a match game for the Champion Cue

9 After the winner of said Champion Cue has held it one year any eligible player (see rule 8 has thirty days in which to challenge said winner but should no challenge be made him within said thirty days the Cue then becomes the property of said holder

10 The winner of said Champion Cue shall be and is hereby required to give bonds in the sum of $1 0 that he will not dispose or convert to his own use said Cue until he becomes the owner according to rules Should the holder of said Cue dispose of it in any way before he becomes the rightful owner the bonds are forfeited

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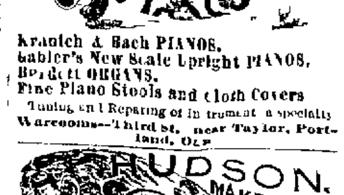
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NOTICE.

FROM AND AFTER THIS DATE PARIS Giltner will not be connected with the firm of White & Giltner having retired from the firm. The business will hereafter be conducted by Eugene White and J S Giltner under the firm name of WHITE & GILTNER [illegible]

DISSOLUTION NOTICE.

THE COPARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE EXISTing between the undersigned under the firm name of Mendelson Bros has this day been dissolved by mutual consent Mr A L Mendelson retiring therefrom The business will hereafter be conducted by B Mendelson, who will pay all debts due and alone is authorized to collect all debts due the firm

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Portland, Or., February 8 1879



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STATE TREASURER s OFFICE,
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The Daily Oregonian.
FRIDAY MORNING FEB 14 1879

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SECOND LECTURE.—At 8 o clock this evening at Masonic Hall Rev M May will deliver the second lecture of the Philomathean course. Mr May's subject is The Minds of the Talmud —one with which he is thoroughly conversant Mr May is a gentleman of varied attainments possesses a highly cultured mind and is an eloquent speaker The subject with which he deals is one of great interest and attraction and Mr May s lecture will be a rich treat Hebrew men and literature have ever been subjects of deep interest to the lover of history, sacred or profane The lecture of this evening has been a close student of this subject and his discourse will doubtless be replete with the results of his researches

CHURCH IMPROVEMENT Carpenters are now at work remodeling the platform in the audience room of Taylor street church It is expected it will be ready for the usual services next Sabbath, part of which will consist in a Sabbath school missionary concert at 2 o clock The society hope to be able at no distant day to purchase a pipe organ and the improvement now under way will give more room in rear of the speaker's stand and thus better adapt it for this purpose while it will be lower than at present and bring the speaker nearer his audience

GENEROUS —Mr C L Kuehn billiard manufacturer of this city, has just received from the east two new billiard tables, and we learn he has donated the use of one of them to the forthcoming tournament The contestants feel highly honored by Mr Kuehn s generosity We are authorized to state that there will be a meeting of the contestants at Mr Elston s saloon this evening at 7 o clock

PACKAGE PARTY —This evening a musical and literary entertainment and surprise package party will be given at Good Templar Hall, under the management of Geo Wright post, G A R. The programme has already been published The affair will no doubt be very entertaining and attract an overflowing hall.

A LIVELY PRISONER.—A German resident of Oregon City came down yesterday and getting uproariously drunk, was arrested during the evening and confined in the city jail He resisted the indignity with ardor, and was so boisterous that in order to keep the peace the captain in charge locked him in a close cell.

STEAMER MOVEMENTS —The steamers *Great Republic* and *Oregon* are announced to sail from San Francisco on the 20th The steamship *Geo W. Elder* is announced to sail from th s port next Sunday morning The following are the rates of fare First cabin, $15 second cabin, $12 steerage, $6.

GOSPEL MEETING —In spite of the rain a large number of people turned out to the meeting in the Baptist church last evening, and the meeting was very encouraging to all Christians present. Sermon to night by Rev J A. Cruzan, followed by the usual after meetings.

PATIENTS.—The total number of patients admitted into St. Vincent's Hospital since its opening is now 1,856 Of this number 56 were received during January. At present there are 53 patients under medical treatment.

DIVINE SERVICE.—Bishop Morris will officiate in the Dalles on Sunday, the 16th, administering the holy communion at the evening service.

HEAVY SNOW STORM.

From a gentleman who arrived here last evening from up the Columbia it is learned that a heavy snow storm has prevailed over a large portion of Eastern Oregon and Washington Territory. The gentleman informs us that the snow was 20 inches deep at The Dalles. Last Tuesday the roof of the large warehouse belonging to Mr. Moody at the Dalles was crushed in by the great weight of snow. The damage resulting from the accident is quite heavy. Many of the awnings about The Dalles have also been crushed by the snow. The snow extends as far east as Canyon City and the roads are blockaded and almost impassable. At the Cascades yesterday morning the snow was two feet in depth, at Celilo nearly three feet, and the day previous at Goldendale in Washington Territory, 25 miles from The Dalles, the snow was 30 inches deep and still falling Latest reports from the Blue mountains state the snow was falling thick and fast and travel greatly impeded. Grave apprehensions are entertained for the cattle and sheep, and heavy losses are anticipated

Information was received here yesterday from Mr Jones, manager of the O S N Co's telegraph office at the Lower Cascades, to the effect that both spans crossing the river at that place are broken, as is also the case at the Upper Cascades The line is all down between the two points The snow is quite deep and encrusted with an inch of ice easily bearing up a man The condition of the line above and below the above places has not been ascertained, but is supposed to be buried under the snow.

The latest reports from the Sound indicate a heavy fall of the beautiful ' in that section of the country. At Olympia yesterday the snow had attained a depth of 18 inches. At Seattle the snow was 3 feet.

AMUSEMENTS.

THE NEW MARKET THEATER —The Celebrated Case was played last night for the fourth time and will be repeated for the matinee on to-morrow, when positively the last performance of this great play will be given The piece may not be produced again for perhaps years in this city It certainly cannot be given during the present season, as Mr John Maguire returns the manuscript and the wardrobe pertaining to the play by the steamer *Elder*. It was unfortunate for the management that the weather has been so unpropitious during the past nights, for to this cause alone can be attributed that want of patronage which the merits of the play and its performance should command

This evening another of Baldwin theater plays will be presented in " A Woman of the People." To say that it will be put on the stage in good style is superfluous as Mr John Maguire evidently believes in the adage that 'Whatever is worth doing, is worth doing well." The manner in which pieces have been mounted on the boards of the New Market theater since the present manager took the helm, would reflect credit and vie with the excellence of similar productions of theaters in any city in the country Each of the Baldwin plays will be put on only two nights in the future, as the expenses attending every production does not justify a longer run

Miss Adams plays the part of Marie' in the play to-night, a character entirely different from that of ' Adrienne being a much better acting part and which no doubt will receive full justice at this lady s hands Seats can be secured at Morse s

THE MATINEE.—It is safe to expect that one of the largest attended matinees ever given in this city will be present at the Celebrated Case ' to morrow afternoon A brisk demand for seats has already taken place

BUSINESS NOTICES.

McCabe will deliver valentines to any part of the city free of cost to day

Special attention is called to the advertisement of Dr C M Woods the well known magnetic healer Dr Woods will visit various portions of the state soon to enable him to see the afflicted

SUPREME COURT

THURSDAY Feb 1

Ben Holladay et al respondents vs S G Elliot et al appellants Appeal from Marion county Cause argued

Messrs Dolph Ellis and Cofley and Gov Thayer attorneys, are engaged in reading the testimony which is very voluminous

Adjourned till 10 A M

THE W NDERFUL CLOCK—Is giving universal sat faction to crowds of visitors and all speak in praise of its many points of interest beauty and perfection Seldom does an entertainment strike the chord of public favor to such an extent but the novelty and the superior mechanism combined with its ancient history as a marvel of science and art appeals to the tastes of all An uninterrupted view can be best obtained by the ladies in the afternoon

Ladies don't fail to notice L. Kapu Biehl s advertisement

BRIEF NOTES

St Valentine s Day

Will it ever quit raining ?

No county court in session

The Woman of the People

Matinee to morrow afternoon

Lecture this evening by Dr. May

WEEKLY OREGONIAN Remember it

Remember the package party to night

There were no United States courts yesterday

This will be a trying day on the postoffice clerks

Grand jury has returned four more indictments

Have you ordered your valentines at McCabe

Work on the Washington street sewer has been resumed

The WEEKLY OREGONIAN It is a capital number

The river here is quite high and a strong current is running

For a few hours yesterday we had a glance of real April weather

Telegraphic communication up the Columbia is still interrupted

The old steamer *Gussie Telfair* is undergoing repairs at San Francisco

Both the *Oregon* and *Great Republic* will sail for this port on the 20th

To day the postoffice will be fairly deluged with tender and comical missives

The present grand jury is not idle Already 11 indictments have been returned

A lively fight last night at the board of delegates No president was elected

Lent will commence on the 26 inst Fish and eggs will then become a popular article of diet

It is said that Brown and Johnson still cling to the hope that their sentence will be commuted

The managers of the Catholic library have ordered a large invoice of new books which are expected to arrive next month

On the 5th inst the internal revenue officers of San Francisco seized forty pounds of opium on the steamer *City of Chester* from Victoria

Little Maud is only six years and about three months old Without doubt she is the most wonderful child actress of her age on the speaking stage

Jos Bachman & Bro resident agents of the Connecticut Fire Insurance Company, have issued for gratuitous distribution a large number of vest pocket memorandum books They are nobby and convenient

It was thought that the basement of the new cathedral would be ready for divine service at the opening of Lent, but delays in the plastering on account of the weather will postpone it until the middle of March

The lean and hungry concern down street still piteously whines about its great 'since riority The 420 readers who, through force of habit, wade through its scanty columns of stale rehash must chuckle in their sleeve. It isn t cheek—oh no '

Amelia waved her fan with glee
And, being in a playful mood
She gave the airy toy to me,
And bade me flirt it if I could

The pleasing toil I quick began
But jealous pangs my bosom hurt
Madam, I cannot flirt a fan
But with your leave I ll fan a flirt.

PERSONAL.

J A. Strowbridge of Portland, passed Carlin, bound west, on the 6th instant

P W. Davis, who has been seriously ill for so many weeks, is still lingering along in a dangerous condition.

Syl C. Simpson, Esq., we are informed, has accepted a position with Bancroft & Co as compiler of laws for publication by the firm

Rev. Wm. Roberts, pastor of the M E church at Olympia, we learn through information just received, is lying dangerously sick.

N. H Bloomfield, Esq , prosecuting attorney of the second judicial district Washington territory is in the city We acknowledge a pleasant call last evening

From a San Francisco exchange of the 6th we learn that the following Portlanders were registered at the following hotels in that city Mrs R Swain at the Brooklyn C A Cole, P Selling J C Carson and W Harris, at the Occidental, Oscar I Clay and Dr L L Rowland, of Salem, at the Palace

REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS

DEEDS.

Josiah Melvin to G C Rider lot 5 block 140 city —$800

DeLashmutt & Oatman and wives to G C Rider, lots 7 and 8 block 16, Caruthers Add—$1 100

R M. Creswell and wife to David Cole, 162 acres of Gideon Tibbetts D L C in T 1 S R 1 E—$1 800

Wm Condon to Mary Ellen Condon, lot 1 block 39 lots 6 and 7 block 135 lots 1 2 3 4 5 6 and 8 block 96 Couch's Add—Love and affection

SATISFACTION.

Thos. Huntington and wife to Samuel Kellett Dec 1, 1875, $500 block 158, Couch's Add assigned to Jo Simon Jan. 10 1878.

MEETING OF FISHERMEN.

At a meeting of the fishermen of Astoria a few days since, the following resolutions were adopted

That we the undersigned fishermen of the Columbia river, oppose the license law and that there will be a meeting of the fishermen of the Columbia river on Tuesday, the fourth day of March, 1879, to take the same under consideration and that we invite the co operation of all the fishermen on the Columbia river in the matter

THE COURTS.

PORTLAND, February 13 1879

STATE CIRCUIT COURT—BELLINGER J

State of Oregon vs J Ingraham, defendant arraigned and plea of guilty entered allowed until to morrow morning to prepare for sentence

State of Oregon vs China Joe defendant arraigned and plea of not guilty entered

State of Oregon vs J H Lee indictment resubmitted to the grand jury

Mary Campbell vs James H Campbell cause dismissed

Hawley Dodd & Co. vs E N Mulvaney judgment by default.

State of Oregon vs John Gately defendant arraigned and allowed until to morrow morning to plead

Grand jury presented four indictments

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

ST CHARLES

A M Smith Buena Vista	J M Ray Eola
H D Williams Salem	W Laugh Eola
C H Hull Hubbard O	H Huron Omaha Iowa
Mrs L Thompson Washington county	O Olsen Freeport
	A Blair city
R B Kinne Washington	W H Bloomfield, Kalama
Thos Morris Lebanon	M B Hendrick Wheatland
Wm Cooper Wheatland	
C Cooper Wheatland	E Vickers City
O P Whitcomb City	Dr Theison S F
Mrs Carmlin and child Vancouver	Miss Georgie Crawford Vancouver
C F Church, Oregon City	S L Sparks The Dalles
M T Ward N Tacoma	J N Stall City
H Alger & wf Cathlamet	Day Powell, Col Slough

By a blockade on the overland railroad J K Gill & Co s stock of valentines were detained until the arrival of the *Elder* on Tuesday Their line is made by the best manufacturer in America and they do say that the Yankee beats the world in making valentines They vary in price from 5 cents to $7 50 each and contain perfumed sachets magic cards and all the new novelties made in December 1878 This is not an old lot of valentines sent here to be worked off, but are all new and fresh surpassing in extent and variety all their former displays

Remember Dr C M. Wood will be at Albany from Feb 19 to March 4 and at Eugene City from March 4 to the 12th 1879

Infants outfits flannel embroidered shawls and skirts ladies ready made suits and wrappers always on hand and made to order at Mrs H Ach s corner Second and Morrison

Mrs D Ton Jaterson clairvoyant physician and test medium gives sittings daily Residence Columbia street bet 1st and 2d

Never go on a *wild goose chase* for your fragrant you will have to pay the same price that B Intel charges for

INTERESTING TO LADIES Dickey s Creme de Lis Has been before the public for ten years during which time this beautifying preparation has met with the highest approval at the hands of the fair sex—being, as all who have used it will verify the truly perfect preparation of its kind Every ingredient entering the composition of Dickey s Creme de Lis is subject to the most rigid test of modern Chemistry to insure the uniformity and purity of its combination and neither time nor expense have been spared to make it perfect—it being well known the public will appreciate and support a truly meritorious article Several new beautifiers under various names have lately started into existence, but Dickey s Creme de Lis has no competition in merit. Sold by all druggists

BOARD OF DELEGATES

First Meeting of the New Board

PERMANENT ORGANIZATION PARTLY EFFECTED —SECRETARY AND TREASURER ELECTED —A LIVELY FIGHT OVER THE PRESIDENCY BUT NO ELECTION

A meeting of the new board of delegates of the Portland fire department was held last evening at the police court room

A full board was present

The board was called to order by the retiring president Mr Joseph Bachman who stated briefly the object of the meeting.

Joseph Simon moved that a committee of three be appointed on credentials

The motion prevailed and the president appointed the following persons Joseph Simon Geo C Sears and Wm Young

On motion the board took a recess for ten minutes to enable the committee to prepare their report

At the expiration of the allotted time the meeting was called to order by the president

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE

The following report was submitted by the committee on credentials

To the Board of Delegates We your committee on credentials would beg leave to report the following named persons duly elected to membership in the board

Willamette No 1—J Bachman J Simon A W Wither ll

Multnomah No 2—Jos Bachman H Trevett

Columbia No 3—W O Truen Wm Young C J Christie

Protection No 4—J M Brinningham J Mc Cormick W B J

Tiger No 5—F Mendenhall Sears W J Kelly

Vigilance H & L Co No 1 J Kaufman E H Stolte Theo Wygant

Respectfully submitted

JOS SIMON
WM YOUNG
GEO C SEARS
Committee

PORTLAND Feb 13 1879

On motion of Mr Stolte the report was adopted and committee discharged

The delegates were then called up and sworn collectively after which each delegate came forward to the secretary s desk and subscribed to the oath of office

ELECTION

The president announced that the next order of business was the election of officers

The first thing was the election of a president

Nominations being in order Mr Stolte nominated Mr Jos Bachman of No 2 who positively declined the honor

Mr L I Mendenhall of No and Geo C Sears of the same company were placed in nomination

The president appointed W J Kelly and A W Witherell to act as tellers

The first ballot stood Mendenhall 8 Sears 7 blank 1 No election it requiring 10 votes to elect

Before the second ballot was taken Mr Sears withdrew his name

The second ballot stood Mendenhall 7 Sears 1 blank

Mr T B Trevett and E H Stolte were each placed in nomination but declined to allow their names to be used

Mr Joseph Simon was placed in nomination That gentleman declined several times but finally consented to have his name used

Proceeding to ballot again the vote stood Simon 6, Mendenhall 9 blank Second ballot stood Simon 6 Mendenhall 7 blank 3

Mr Simon moved that the board proceed to elect officers in inverse order, beginning at treasurer.

The motion prevailed and the board proceeded to elect a treasurer

Mr. Theo. Wygant was placed in nomination, and there being no other nomination, his election was declared unanimous.

For secretary of the board, Mr John O Connor was placed in nomination and unanimously elected.

The election of president being next in order, Mr Bruan moved that the matter be laid over until the next meeting

The motion was lost

Mr. Christie placed again in nomination the name of Geo C Sears for president.

The board then proceeded to ballot, with the following result Mendenhall, 6 , Simon, 5 Sears, 6 blank, 1

A motion was made to adjourn, which was lost.

Mr Simon positively declined to allow his name to be further used

The next ballot stood Mendenhall 8 Sears, 7 blank, 3

A motion was made and carried to postpone the election of a president to the next regular meeting of the board

RELIGIOUS NOTES

[From the Advocate]

At the Sunday school concert in East Portland last Sunday evening five persons were baptized

Upwards of twenty conversions are reported from the revival meeting in progress in the M E church at Albany

Rev S Mathew says We have just closed a three weeks protracted meeting at Hamilton creek It was a victorious time seventeen united with the church and were organized into a class '

Sunday school missionary concert exercises at Taylor street M E church next Sunday afternoon at 2 P M If the committee furnish all the exercises they promise, it will be an unusually interesting occasion

Elder David Brower will hold services at White school house in Powell's valley on the eve of Feb 22 and on Sunday at 11 o'clock at Orient school house on the eve of Feb 25 h and 26th, and at Union school house commencing on the eve of the 28th, to continue over the Sabbath

RECEPTION TO THEIR FRIENDS —Mr and Mrs Lewis Prager at home Sunday Feb 16th from 3 to 10 o clock P M at their residence 302 Fourth street

NEW LOT JUST IN —Cocoanuts almonds, pecans walnuts filberts hickory nuts, Para dise nuts filberts, Italica chestnuts oranges, lemons and limes at Frisco prices Merchants note this and send orders to S L Stone

500 assorted masks at Ackerman s Dollar Store

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The people appreciate *low prices* and *good work* by patronizing liberally Abell the photographer whose display speaks for itself *Don t forget* the place

Photo work made for $1 per dozen less at Davidson Bros than at any other gallery north of San Francisco and the work just as good when not better

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NOTICE —Dr H F Adams having been called away will necessarily be absent about ten days Notice will be given of his return

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MASQUERADE COSTUMES —The cheapest place to buy your masks or rent your masquerade suits, or buy your trimmings is at Mrs Chas Tichner s corner of First and Yamhill streets Portland Or Send stamps for price list

IN A STATE OF SIEGE—The public have found where to get furniture elegant substantial and cheap and are flocking to Edwards & Birmingham s where every thing to make a home comfortable can be found Come one come all corner Second and Yamhill streets up stairs

THE GEM ASTORIA —Connected with Peter W helm s Astoria Ship Masters Reading Room where the latest shipping papers are on file Western Union Telegraph Office

The celebrated Warner Health Corsets Misses corsets and Children waists at Mr J M DeBois & Co corner Morrison and Yamhill

Valentines! valentine The place and largest assortment of valentines at Mrs Chas Tichnor s corner of First and Yamhill streets Portland Ogn Country orders promptly filled

Poor and needy persons suffering with disease will receive medical and surgical advice free on application at the Medical College on Fourth street, at 1 P M Wednesdays and Saturdays

MRS. DR. BURR,

Homeopathic Physician and Electrician, First street, bet Morrison and Alder

SALEM NOTES

Our regular correspondent under date of Feb 13th sends the following

Cloudy and cold

But five pupils are attending the blind school this year

B F Sargent of Baker county has been commissioned notary public

The Huntington arrived and commenced cementing the south side of the capitol building

Mr and Mrs N H Looney are recovering over the ads of a bounding box being what put in its appearance on Monday last

William F F ll of Wasco county has been adjudged insane and an order issued committing him to the asylum at East Portland

Miss Eva Thatcher has a little clerkship in the Salem postoffice made vacant by the resignation of L A Thatcher who will soon start for eastern Oregon

Supreme court grinding away on the Holladay Elliott suit It will probably last until about the 1st of next month reading the testimony alone taking the attorneys about ten days

The graduating class at the Willamette University this year embraces the following students J M Kinney Hugh Harris Sarah Lines Bella Yocum Viola Johns and Carrie Nichols

D I West (color) who in June 18 was sentenced to the penitentiary for two years for uttering a false and forged note in this county was discharged on Monday the remainder of his sentence having been commuted by Gov Thayer Also that of John Barnes sentenced for one year from Multnomah county in March last for larceny commutation being granted in both instances for uniform good conduct etc Thomas Harris D Whipple and A C D Brown having served their term out less the number of days allowed them by merit marks have also been discharged

The young folks of this city gave a dramatic and literary entertainment at Reed s opera house last evening, for the benefit of the Congregational church which was attended by a large audience as is generally the case with amateur entertainments in Salem talent in that line being better appreciated apparently than is that of the professional The orchestra under the leadership of Prof Diamond certainly executed their portion of the programme with credit to themselves and pleasure to the audience A ten minutes address on The Drama by C B Moores Esq was listened to with interest by those present who would not have been wearied were it treble the length His argument s in favor of the legitimate drama were certainly comprehensive eloquent and conclusive Then followed the event of the evening the drama of Ireland as it is with the following cast Murray (keeper of Durgomat lighthouse) J M B wl y Larry Devine (his assistant) W Church Hon Bruce Hunter, Charles Johns Clarence Hunter his ward N Chapman Peter Farag the news reporter G W Belt Scad (Hunter s colored servant George Gray Miss Minnie Daze Leta Williams Bess Stanley the waif Myra Belt Mother Care fortune teller George Carpenter Biddle Bean Irish girl Eliva Brynian We might criticise somewhat in parts of the performance but as most of the actors did remarkably well we will not particularize Where they nearly all did so well it would be unjust to discriminate, and the highest compliment that could be paid them was bestowed by the audience in their oft repeated applause

Dr. C. M. Wood's Appointments up the Willamette Valley.

DR. C M WOOD, the GREAT HEALER whose WONDERFUL CURES have been published in THE OREGONIAN for the past year will be in ALBANY, at the Revere house, on Feb 19 1879, and remain until March 4, 1879, and cure chronic disease by magnetic treatment Patients will call early to secure sufficient treatment Will be at EUGENE CITY on March 4, 1879, at the leading hotel and heal the sick until March 12 1879 This will be the last visit he will make up the valley this season Let the hopelessly afflicted come and be cured

GOOD ADVICE.

During this cold dreary weather the air we breathe is impregnated with a malaria which is certain to effect the liver, stomach and bowels, causing them to become inactive, torpid and sluggish, accompanied with catarrh cold and coughing You become bilious suffer from headache cold sensation and a general feeling of despondency predominates throughout the entire system

It is then you require the services of the great regulator, PFUNDER'S OREGON BLOOD PURIFIER, to stimulate the action of the liver and kidneys remove catarrh and coughing, warm up the blood, clear the stomach of bile, and set all things to rights again Try it For sale everywhere

CATARRH —This most prevalent and least understood of *all diseases* is most skilfully treated and *permanently cured* by Dr James Keck 135 First street Portland, Or Call and see the Doctor if you have Catarrh He charges nothing for consultation

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Works wonders In all cases of Dropsy Bright's Disease Kidney Bladder and Urinary Complaints or Retention of Urine are cured by the Nephreticum Female Weakness Gravel Diabetes pain in the back side and loin are cured, when all other medicines have failed

See what the druggists of Portland and San Francisco say about Dr Mintie's Nephreticum and English Dandelion Pills

We have sold a large amount of Dr Mintie s medicine the English Dandelion Pills also the famed Nephreticum and in all cases highly recommended John A Childs druggist Second street Portland Oregon C H Woodard & Co Druggists, cor First and Alder Portland, Oregon, Messrs. Abrams & Carroll Druggists, No 3 and 5 Front San Francisco 'We regard Nephreticum as the *best* Kidney and Bladder remedy before the *Public* All Druggists keep *them*

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PHEW '

For heaven s sake use SOZODONT and sweeten your breath It will never be fragrant as long as you allow your teeth to remain in that discolored and unhealthy condition Besides they will impregnate your food and give you the dyspepsia

ENJOY LIFE.

What a truly beautiful world we live in Nature gives us grandeur of mountains glens and oceans and thousands of means for enjoyment. We can desire no better when in perfect health but how often do the majority of people feel like giving it up disheartened discouraged and worried out with disease, when there is no occasion for this feeling as every sufferer can easily obtain satisfactory proof that Green s August Flower will make them as free from disease as when born Dyspepsia and Liver Complaint is the direct cause of seventy five per cent of such maladies as Biliousness Indigestion Sick Headache Costiveness, Nervous Prostration Dizziness of the Head Palpitation of the Heart, and other distressing symptoms Three doses of August Flower will prove its wonderful effect Sample bottles 10 cents Try it. Sold by all druggists.

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OREGON

Ashland will be built at Molalla

Oregon City is having its census taken

James Cochrane Esq. late captain of the steamer *Mercy* will henceforth reside in Oregon city

A party of gentlemen from Canby went hunting last week and bagged three elk, two wild cats and skunks

The balance of the state tax amounting to $ of Clackamas county was paid into the state treasury on the 9th built 22

There will be a meeting of the citizens of Clackamas county at Meyers Mill Molalla on Saturday Feb 15 for the purpose of discussing the construction of a narrow gauge railroad from Oregon City to Molalla A committee of citizens from Oregon City will be present All are invited

A meeting to consider the matter of building a narrow gauge railroad from Oregon City to Molalla was held last week at the former place Several addresses favoring the enterprise were made and a petition for subscriptions drawn up Maj Thomas Charman and Hon J Myers headed the list with the handsome sum $1 000 each A number of other subscriptions were taken amounting to nearly $5 000

WEATHER REPORT

The following is the weather report for the week ending Wednesday, February 1

Highest barometer 30 31 on Wednesday

Lowest barometer 29 08 on Saturday

Highest thermometer 60° on Wednesday

Lowest thermometer 33 7 on Tuesday

Prevailing wind south and southeast

Average weather has been cloudy

Total rainfall for the week 1 inches and 2 hundredths

Room to Be Made to Howl

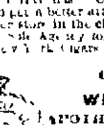
Cornelius Herald

We are going to Dan Logan Caesar ... V... heirs and Nesmith in the senate the man is not ... ... and why Lane should not be made ... ... to howl. There is certainly the material there for a ... ... and energetic ... in the way of oratory

A lodge of the Ancient Order of United Workmen has been organized at Vancouver

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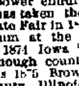
The TAX ROLL for 1879 is now in my hands for collection, and all Taxes assessed thereon must be paid at my office, No. 122 First street, within thirty days from this date or the same will be returned as delinquent.

JOSEPH BACHMAN,
Treasurer City of Portland.

Portland, January 30, 1879.

Attention is called to the following extract from Ordinance No 1114

All taxes, licenses assessments for street improvements etc etc * * * * and all moneys arising from any other source belonging and payable in or into the City Treasury shall hereafter be paid in gold coin of the United States of America and not otherwise *provided* that sums not exceeding five dollars ($5) may be paid in silver coin 131dlm



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EUREKA was imported from La Perche France July 1875 by Dr B R Westfall of Macomb Illinois and recorded in the Percheron Norman Stud book (190) He was brought to the Pacific Coast February 1877

EUREKA is 10 years old stands 16½ hands high weighs 1 700 pounds is a beautiful dapple gray has astounding muscular development giving him great power endurance and showy movement

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DENTIST,

S W cor Third and Morrison Streets,

PORTLAND OREGON

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MY WIFE ESTHER C LARSSON AND HER daughter Caroline on the 11th day of February 1879 left without my bed and board in Multnomah county Oregon This will notify the public that I will be in no wise responsible for any of the debts or liabilities incurred by the said Esther and said Caroline PETER LARSSON
Feb 10 1879

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THE UNITED STATES!

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Which he now offers to all at a

Reasonable Figure.

Love.

How sweet when love pervades the breast
And all our actions guide
Tis this that makes us truly blest
When by a dear one s side

Love's Confession

Oh ! let the truth by her confest,
Sink deep within thy heart
With thee alone shall I be blest
Till call d with life to part.

Good Wishes.

Oh smooth be thy path
And unclouded thy sky
And joy and prosperity
Ever be nigh !
May hope go before thee
And love walk beside
And peace hover o er thee
What e er may betide

Remember Me.

Remember me thou leav st behind,
Whose heart is warmly bound to thee
Close as the tend rest links can bind,
A heart as warm as heart can be

To One I Love

Oh how beautiful is love
Sweetest earthly treasure
Learn it of the tender dove—
May it be thy pleasure

Good Wishes.

Oh may thy way through life
Be like the summer tides,
On which the white winged bark
With tranquil motion glides.
May every joy be gained
And every hope fulfilled
As gains the bark her port,
When stormy winds are stilled

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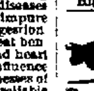
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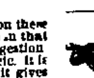
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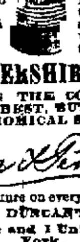
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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE UNdersigned assignee of James Laidlaw by virtue of an order of the District Court of the United States for the District of Oregon made and entered on the 8th day of February A D 1879 and in accordance and by virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain deed of assignment made to said James Laidlaw by Fitzpatrick Davis & Co. composed of John Fitzpatrick John Davis and John S Laidlaw on the 5th day of November 1877, and recorded in Pacific county Washington Territory on the 4th day of November 1877 wherein and whereby said James Laidlaw was empowered to sell certain personal property known as the Fisherton Cannery situated at Fisherton, Pacific county Washington Territory, to satisfy certain ... and ... money due said James Laidlaw from said Fitzpatrick Davis & Co and whereas the ... is now d ... from said Fitzpatrick Davis & Co ... twenty nine thousand ... hundred and eighteen ... I will sell on Wednesday the 5th day of March, 1879 at 10 o clock A M said property known as the Fisherton Cannery with all the buildings wharves, boats ... and other machinery used therein ... salmon therein and ... said property is more particularly described in schedule B of said deed of assignment at Fisherton Washington Territory, at ... at public auction to the highest bidder for cash in hand, to satisfy said lien of twenty nine thousand two hundred and eighteen and 100 ($ ...) dollars due the estate of said James Laidlaw.

CHARLES I WOODWARD Assignee.

Said property consists of machinery and tools for tin shop machinery, steam engine and boiler and packing rooms ... one set of blacksmith tools ... furniture for office, general assortment of merchandise

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FOURTEENTH FEBRUARY.

Since little things may teach us,
The voice of wisdom cries,
"Go to the ant, thou sluggard,
Consider and be wise;
The bee with honey laden,
Returns unto the hive;
The spider catches others
Himself to save alive."

Then, like the bee, may I not
Prepare my winter store?
Or, with the bee, the nectar
May gather from the flower?
I, too, the web be spinning,
Adjusting every line,
While birds to-day are mating,
Since 'tis St. Valentine.

Then why, since 'tis my "weakness,"
For so I have been told,
May I not love a lady,
Though I am growing old?
This is no sudden spasm,
But "weakness," as you see.
Since ere six summers crowned me
I sought the same for me.

I ask him for his daughter,
That she might be my store;
Thus answering my questions,
He simply said, "What for?"
My answer quickly given,
"She's pretty," thus I said;
For him 'twas not sufficient;
The old man shook his head.

Was this my first vain effort,
Prophetic of my life?
To *know* and *feel* my "weakness"
Yet never have a ——.
Too bashful yet to speak it,
Though long my hope deferred,
Did understand its meaning,
I then could use the word.

What then must I resemble,—
To what will I compare?
To scissors disunited,
A plow without a share,
No fly-wheel to the engine,
A cart without a wheel,
A hoe without a handle,
An ax without the steel.

One half without the other,
The world to wander through;
Forever disunited,—
O, tell me, is this true?
Is it for sins committed
I must ever walk alone?
Or talk (but hear no answer),
In one end the telephone?

My phonograph is wanting,
My feeling to repeat;
While flower and bee are parted,
It can never get the sweet.
So, lady, do you know it,
(Since 'tis St. Valentine),
The birds to-day are mating,
Then why not me and mine?

THE CHILD STEALERS.

Jack Dowd's Woman Finds a Game that two can play at—A Victimized Nurse on the Rampage.

About a year or so ago a woman came to Seattle, says the *Intelligencer*, and shortly after gave birth to a babe, which she soon hired out to a married lady, living in this city, at $10 a month, to keep and nurse for her. The mother remained on the Sound and would call once every two or three months to see how her boy was getting along, but never paying a cent of the nurse's wages. Last Friday, the mother, whom we will designate as Ruby, called at the house where her child was being kept, and stated to Mrs. N., the lady who was keeping it, that she would like to take her baby boy out for a little ride and would bring him back in the course of an hour. Of course the request was complied with, though rather reluctantly. After an hour or so, and no return, Mrs. N. began to mistrust, and hastily putting on her things, hurried down to the wharf, where she learned that the mother and child had just gone on board the *North Pacific* and that the steamer was just ready to start for Tacoma. Jumping on board she succeeded in finding Ruby, who refused to pay her the wages or give up the child. In the meantime the steamer had started. When they landed at Tacoma both women stopped at the same hotel. Mrs. N. applied to several attorneys, but they all refused to interfere in the case. What was the poor woman to do? She had started off from home without a cent of money in her pocket, not expecting to leave the town, and now was about to lose her wages, $130, and the child. Saturday morning she stopped at Ruby's door, which was slightly ajar. There sat the little boy on the bed, all dressed and fixed up, while his mother was making her toilet before the glass in a half nude condition. Now was her time. Springing into the room she grabbed the child from the bed and was half way down stairs with it before the surprised mother could realize what had happened. Ruby soon gave chase, but being in no condition to appear on the street, and owing to the start the other lady and child had gained, she soon gave up the chase. Mrs. N. and the child returned to this city Saturday evening on the *Zephyr*, while Ruby went to Portland, feeling that she had been taken in at her own game. Mrs. N. is a highly respected lady of this city, where she has resided with her husband for many years, while Ruby's character is very questionable. She lived for a long time with that notorious Jack Dowd, and is known on the Sound as Dowd's woman. She is the daughter of a respected family in Oregon, for whose sake we refrain from giving her real name.

AERIAL TELEGRAPHY.

Electric Communication Said to be Possible Without Wires.

[From the Boston Advertiser.]

The increasing use of telegraph and the telephone is causing our cities to be overlaid with a network of wires attached to the chimneys of buildings, or to frames erected on their roofs. Perhaps this involves no danger or special inconvenience, and is certainly more agreeable than running the wires on poles erected by the street-side. In some places, New York city, for example, there has been much talk of requiring telegraph wires to be run under ground, but this method also has its inconveniences. Professor Loomis, of Washington, is experimenting in the mountains of West Virginia to demonstrate what he calls aerial telegraphy, which is based on the theory that at certain elevations there is a natural electric current, by taking advantage of which wires may be wholly dispensed with. It is said that he has telegraphed as far as eleven miles by means of kites flown with a copper wire. When the kites reached the same altitude or got into the same current, communication by means of an instrument similar to the Morse instrument was easy and perfect, but ceased as soon as one of the kites was lowered. He has built towers on two hills about twenty miles apart, and from the tops of them run up steel rods into the region of the electric current. The statement is made that in this way, without any wire, he has been able to keep up telegraphic communication for months at a time. A heavy storm, however, prevents communication for a time, probably by disarranging the current. In a recent letter to a Washington journal, Professor Loomis announced that he had recently discovered that the telephone could be used for this method of communication as well as telegraphic instruments, and that of late he had done all his talking with his assistant, twenty miles away, by telephone, the connection being aerial only. He claims that he can telegraph across the sea without other wires than those necessary to reach the elevation of the current. This claim of Professor Loomis belongs to the class of remarkable discoveries not yet demonstrated — a [illegible] class—in which students of [illegible] great energy.

A Bit of French History Recalled.

[New Orleans Picayune, Paris Letter.]

The recent destruction of some very old houses has revealed the existence of two palaces—just think of two palaces forgotten—of very great architectural and historical interest. Antiquarians discredit the tradition which asserts the better preserved of the two was the palace of Queen Blanche of Castile, mother of St. Louis. They say it was the palace of her granddaughter, Blanche of France, daughter of St. Louis and Marguerite of Provence, born at Taffa, and who, after the death of her husband (an infanta of Castile), returned to France and lived and died (1320) in this palace. When I tell you this palace is a great deal larger and is as perfectly preserved as Hotel de Cluny, you will be astonished that it should have been forgotten. It is a marvel of architecture. Each door, window, staircase, turret and cellar (all of which are three stories deep) is a gem of art. Antiquarians admit that the ruins of the adjacent palace were indeed the palace of Queen Blanche of Castile, mother of St. Louis, which was her residence in 1824, and long continued to be the royal residence. It was here that the terrible calamity of the ball given January 30, 1393, occurred, and which is mentioned by all the French historians. The ball was given by Isabeau of Bavaria. She was the wife of Charles VI, and the mistress of the Duke of Orleans, her husband's brother. The king and most all of his most intimate friends determined to attend the ball, disguised as satyrs. They made themselves up in linen costumes, covered with tow and glued to the linen by rosin. As they entered the ball-room curiosity ran to a very high pitch to find out who they were. No one was more inquisitive (may be jealousy, too, fevered him) than the Duke of Orleans. He seized a candle and held it up to the king's face. Some say he held it too near; others say that a spark fell from the candle on the tow. In an instant the king and his companions were ablaze. The Duchess de Berry threw her mantle on the king and extinguished the flames. His Majesty's companions were not so fortunate; one of them escaped death, after lingering hours in excruciating torture. His companions were Count de Toigny, Rubin, (a bastard son of Gaston Phœbus), a son of Count de Valentinois, Count do Foix, De Nantouillet and De Guisay.

FINANCE AND COMMERCE.

Financial.

THURSDAY EVENING, Feb. 13, 1879.

Silver coin—2@2¼ per cent. discount.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 13.—Currency—99.½@par. Silver coin—97¾@98c. Trade dollars—95¼@96.

NEW YORK, Feb. 13.—Silver bullion, 1,000 fine, $1 07½ per fine ounce.

U. S. bonds—5s of 1867, 102; 5s, of 1881, 104½; 5s closed, 104¾; 4½s, 106.

LONDON, Feb. 13.—Consols 96 5-16.

Silver, English standard, per ounce, 0.5 fine, unchanged.

U. S. bonds—5s, 108½; 4½s, 109.

We have but few comments to make upon the monetary situation locally, which presents no features not heretofore noted. The sluggishness in the market for the produce of the country has been so general that its effect upon finances and the complaints which are based upon the want of promptness in remittances from the interior, are by no means infrequent. The fact, however, should be kept in mind by the creditors of country merchants, that they cannot remit until the people pay, and the people cannot pay until they sell their products. A little forbearance all round will be necessary to avoid embarrassment in many instances, but with patience on the part of all there is no reason why affairs should not be brought to a satisfactory condition.

The real estate market again begins to show signs of activity, and inquiries are very frequent for eligible residence property. Prices are beginning to advance, and it is expected with confidence that values will be higher the coming season than they have been for five years. We learn of a piece of property on First street, which was bought one year ago for $22,500, for which $40,000 has been recently offered and $50,000 is asked.

Domestic Produce.

In but few important particulars has the general situation in this branch of trade changed since our last weekly report. One or two vessels have been taken to load wheat on terms kept private by the parties in interest, the Allegiance being taken at 37s 6d. The freight market in San Francisco is dull, exporters and shipowners being widely divided in their views of the situation. Wheat buyers here take all offerings of good merchantable qualities at $1 65@1 67½, while millers occasionally give $1 70 per cental. These figures embrace the range of prices, and we hear of none changing hands above or below them. The receipts of the past week have been unusually light, the amount being only about 750 tons for the past seven days. This fact indicates great backwardness on the part of both buyers and sellers. There are adherents to the theory that the market is bound to improve and the prices to advance, but their number hardly exceeds that of those who hold that the indications point in the opposite direction.

Flour is in larger receipt, and agents of state mills are again reported to be cutting under each other a little in order to effect sales, though quotations are unchanged. Oats are a little better than they were a week ago, and a first-class lot would command 47@48 cents, while the range of inferior grades is down to 43 cents per bushel. Provisions have not come forward very freely under the dullness which prevailed during the forepart of the week. Some slightly better feeling is noticed in the market for side meats of good quality, and a few sales have been effected at ½ cent advance on former quotations. Dairy products are in fair request with a better feeling for choice butter for the local market, but lower grades of common only bring minimum prices. Eggs are dull at 25 cents from jobbers, and some have been refused at anything above 22½ cents per dozen. Dried fruits are slow sale at the low figures given. The receipts of potatoes have been ample to meet the current inquiry and prices are no better. Onions are very scarce and quoted as high here as in San Francisco.

The following are the receipts of domestic produce for the week ending at noon to-day and the total since January 1:

	For the week.	Total since Jan. 1.
Wheat, centals	14,856	280,757
Flour, barrels	8,531	47,103
Oats, sacks	2,658	20,769
Apples, boxes	798	7,398
Potatoes	1,228	3,086
Dried fruit, pkgs	190	1,382
Onions, sacks	...	1,030
Lard, cans and cases	19	385
Eggs, boxes	183	588
Butter, pkgs	13	106
Hides, number	130	1,317
Meat, pkgs and pcs	255	1,436
Hay, bales	188	

English Wheat Market.

LONDON, Feb. 12.—Floating cargoes, more disposition to buy.

Cargoes on passage and for shipment, not much demand.

Good cargoes off coast—No. 1 spring wheat, medium Chicago or Milwaukee, 480 lbs. sea damage for sellers account less usual 2½ per cent commission, 39s 6d@40s; red winter 43s 6d; California, 500 lbs., 43s 6d@44.

Good shipping California wheat on passage, per 500 lbs. Queenstown for orders, just shipped or to be shipped promptly, 43s 1d; nearly due, 43s 6d.

Fair average Chicago or Milwaukee for shipment present month and following one, 180 lbs., American terms, 27s.

Imports of wheat into the United Kingdom during the past week, 180,000 to 185,000 qrs.

Imports of flour into the United Kingdom during the past week, 80,000 to 85,000 bbls.

LIVERPOOL, Feb. 12.—Wheat, spot steady.

Fair to choice shipping club, per cental, 9s 2d@9s 5d.

Fair to choice shipping California, per cental, 7s 9d@8s 1d.

Red Am spring shipping, No. 3 to No. 2, per cental, 7s 5d@8s 2d.

American state flour, London, per cental, 11s 4d.
American state flour, Liverpool, per cental, 11s 3d.

New York Freights and Markets.

NEW YORK, Feb 13.—There is no material change to note in the freight market via Cape Horn; shipments are not very large, yet much better than was expected. Rates are lower than at the opening of the year, and this has had the effect of drawing more freight especially as the manager of the steamers has advanced his rates and refuses to carry them unless shippers will give him all their freight which they are not inclined to do. The result is that they are sending more by sail than they otherwise would do. The ship Importer arrived from Callao to-day. She will take the place of the Gatherer in Simonsen & Howe's line.

The steamer State of California will go on her trial trip Saturday and will return Monday, and will then proceed to take on board her cargo.

Markets generally quiet and slow. Flour, better export demand; firmer. Wheat active for No. 2, red and all grades of spring for export at 1 cent advance; closing strong. Barley dull; pork dull; new, nominally, $10 25@10 50. Lard dull, 10 cents lower. Rio coffee unchanged. Refined sugars in fair demand and steady. Teas very steady. The auction sale on an average was a fair one, although blacks in some cases sold off a little. Hides dull and weak. Turpentine quiet and firm at 37. Petroleum moderate; demand firm. Domestic cotton goods, fair demand and steady.

San Francisco Produce and General Markets.

[FIRST DISPATCH.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 12.

Wheat—Cheaper; milling, choice at $1 70 but no sales; shipping is quotable at $1 65 with sales. New York market strong.

Barley—Coast feed, good at 90c, with few sales light brewing at $1 10@1 15, with sales.

Corn—Steady with light demand.

Flour—Dull and weak.

CHICAGO WHEAT MARKET.

CHICAGO, Feb. 12.

Wheat—Market, March delivery, 89½c.

[SECOND DISPATCH.]

Wheat—Milling gilt edge is offered at $1 72½, but there are no buyers at over $1 70; shipping, 250 tons sold at $1 65. Many sellers are anxious to place parcels on hand.

Oats—No sales reported; offerings large of common feed but none of choice or of extra choice.

Flour—Oregon and Walla Walla consignees are closing up stocks on hand quite rapidly. The market is quiet with prices against sellers. California superfine, low grades, have been sold at $[illegible].

English Money Market.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]

LONDON, Feb. 13.—Silver to-day, 49½ per ounce; 4½s, 106; 4s, 10s, 107. Erie, 25¼.

Liverpool Cotton Market.

LIVERPOOL, Feb. 13.—Cotton very dull; uplands, 5 7-16; New Orleans, 5 9-16. Sales 6,000 lbs.

New York Money Market.

NEW YORK, Feb. 13.—Silver bars, 107¼; silver coin, ⅝@1 discount. Money closed easy, 2½; governments steady. Stocks closed strong; Western Union, 99; Quicksilver, 12½; Pacific, 15¼; Mariposa, 1½; Wells Fargo, 99½; N. Y. Central, 116¼; Erie 25⅜; Panama, 131; Union Pacific, 67¼; bonds, 107½; Central Pacific, 108⅞.

Home Produce Market.

WHEAT—There is a wide difference between the views of holders and shippers; the offerings below $1 70 being few, while shippers are not inclined to bid above $1 67½ at best and more generally quote at $1 65, with occasional sales of gilt edged lots at $1 70.

FLOUR—Quotations are as follows: Oregon City Mills, McLeran, Salem Flouring Mills and standard brands of extra, in jobbing lots, $5 ⅌ bbl; country extra, $4 50@4 75; superfine, $4@4 25.

OATS—The market is firmer with 45c per bushel as mean quotable price.

MILL FEED—Good supply, bran quotable at $16 per ton, shorts $22 50@25, middlings $27 50@30 per ton.

HAY—Good baled, $12; loose, $10 per ton.

POTATOES—The market is steady at quotations. Quotable from first hands at 80c@85c per bushel, according to variety.

ONIONS—Active demand for the local trade, and for shipment, quotable at 7@8c per lb for best varieties.

WOOL—Valley 16@19; Eastern Oregon from 12½@17.

BACON—Quotations are 9@10c for sides, 12½c for hams, and 7½@8½c for shoulders.

LARD—The demand is supplied and the market weak at 10@12½ cents ⅌ lb in tins and kegs.

DAIRY PRODUCTS—Butter, solid, 18@25c ⅌ lb; choice dairy 30@35c; cheese, quotable at 15@16c ⅌ lb.

CHICKENS—Very choice hens, $4 per doz; common $3@3 50.

EGGS—The demand is fair at 22½@25c per doz.

DRIED APPLES—Quotable at 4@5c ⅌ lb for sun dried.

DRIED PLUMS—With pits, 4½@5c; pitless, 9@12c ⅌ lb.

Shipping Intelligence.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 13.—Arrived—Am sh Importer, Callao.

Cleared—Am sh Enos Soule, S F.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 12.—Cleared—Br bk Dunnerdal, Australia.

Sailed—Am bk Enoch Talbot, Seattle.

SAN FRANCISCO STOCK EXCHANGE.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 13.

Ophir—150 shs $32.
Mexican—90 shs $35, 38¾.
G & C—215 shs $15, 47½.
B & B—65 shs $25½, 25.
Cala—175 shs $7¾, 7¾.
Savage—190 shs $15¼, 15½.
Con Va—385 shs $7⅝, 7½.
Chollar—75 shs $18⅜, 48.
H & N—265 shs $18¼, 18½, 18⅜.
Point—1530 shs $6¾, 6¾, 6⅝.
Jacket—1190 shs $22½, 22, 21¼, 21⅞.
Imperial—2375 shs $[illegible], 20, 1 25, 1 20.
Kentuck—385 shs $6⅛, 6⅜.
Belcher—1885 shs $8, 8½, 8¼, 7⅞, 8.
Confidence—325 shs $16, 17½.
S Nevada—320 shs $4⅜, 47⅞.
Bullion—2200 shs $8⅜, 8½, 8¾, 8¼.
Succor—200 shs $1.
Exchequer—1250 shs 46⅞, 6¾.
Overman—520 shs $11¼, 11⅞, 12, 11¾.
Justice—30 shs $5¾.
Union—400 shs $61¼, 61, 61¼, 61½.
Alta—140 shs $7⅞, 7⅜, 7¾.
Lady Bryan—540 shs $1¾, 1 80, 1⅞.
Caledonia—470 shs $3 05, 3, 3 10, 3 15.
S Hill—460 shs $2 80, 2 75.
Challenge—1140 shs $4 10, 4 45, 4 10.
New York—300 shs 85c.
P Sheridan—930 shs $93, 50 s 3.
Lady Washn—250 shs $1 90, 1 95.
Kossuth—30 shs 10c.
Andes—375 shs 50c, 55.
W Fargo—1100 shs 15c.
Ward—185 shs $1 25.
Scorpion—240 shs $1 61, 1 65.
Leviathan—920 shs 65c, 60.
Dardanelles—445 shs $1, 4 95, 4 95, 5.
Dayton—100 shs 50c.
N Con Va—430 shs $9⅜, 9¼.
Trojan—100 shs 40c.
Benton—230 shs $5¾, 5½, 5½.
S Silver—1000 shs 70c, 85.
Flowery—1150 shs 60c, 45, 50.
Belcher—10 shs $8.
N Bonanza—475 shs $1 50, 1 95, 2.
Geo Douglas—230 shs 60c.
B & B—50 50 shs $25.
Mackay—150 shs 2 65.

AFTERNOON SALES.

R & B—50 shs $6½, 6¾, 6⅛.
Eu Con—80 shs $29¾, 30.
Jackson—220 shs $7, 7½, 7⅜.
Belmont—225 shs $15, 15.
Gila—1000 shs 5c.
Belle—230 shs $6⅝, 6⅞.
Husser—150 shs 15c, 10.
Manhattan—95 shs $2 90, 2⅞.
Prize—510 shs $4¼, 4⅛.
Defrees—450 shs 10c.
Argenta—800 shs 55c.
Navajo—300 shs 25c, 20.
Endowment—515 shs 20c.
Independence—1155 shs $2, 1 90, 31 95.
Tuscarora—1440 shs 5c.
Manhattan—25 shs $5⅜.
Day—100 shs 40c.
Hamburg—10 shs 70c.
Hillside—330 shs $2¾.
Highbridge—15 shs $1¼.
Paradise—550 shs $2 10, 2 05.
Real Del Monte—165 shs $4.
Albion—650 shs 30c.
Fourth July—130 shs 30c.
Con Modoc—Assessed 50c.
Bodie—950 shs $7½ b 30 7½ 7¼.
Bechtel—250 shs 60c.
McClinton—259 shs 50c.
Tioga—375 shs $1¾, 1 80, 1 60, 1⅞, 1 80.
Summit—355 shs $2 10, 2 05.
Bulwer—30 shs $16½.
Goodshaw—125 shs 40c, 50.
May Belle—150 shs 10c.
Booker—400 shs 40c, 45.
So Bodie—50 shs 30c.
Mono—300 shs $2.
Con Pacific—50 shs $1½.
Dudley—100 shs 90c.
Mono—500 shs $2.
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Tiptop—105 shs $ 10, 1 25.
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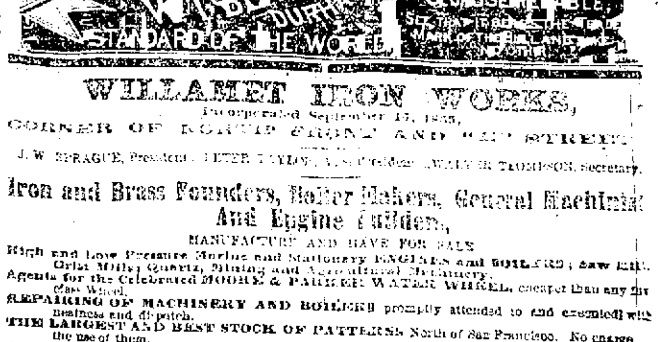
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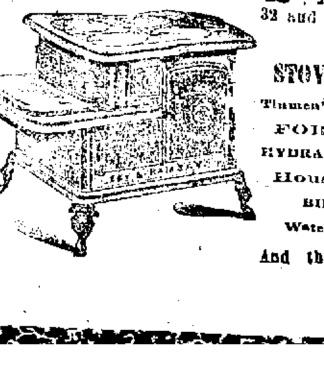
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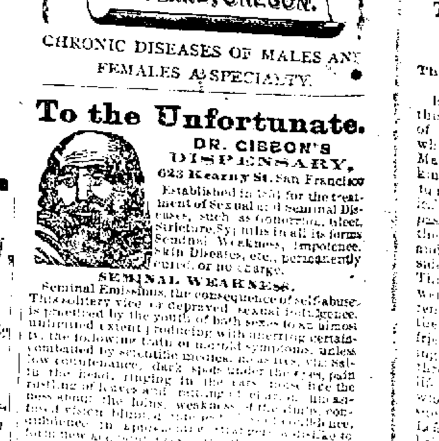
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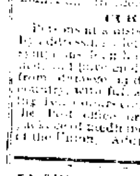
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